

**POTENTIAL HAZARDOUS WASTE SITE
PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT**

<u>Kurt Versen Company</u>	<u>308</u>
Site Name	Site ID Number
<u>10 Charles Street</u>	<u>Westwood, Bergen, New Jersey</u>
Address	City, State

Date of Off-Site Reconnaissance April 8, 1986

SITE DESCRIPTION

This facility manufactures aluminum, industrial light fixtures. As part of the process, the aluminum is anodized. The resulting rinse waters are discharged to the sanitary sewer. In 1981, the plant's sewer service line corroded allowing wastewater to flow into a storm drain then into the Haunsmans Ditch. This ditch empties into the Oradell Reservoir. The contaminated discharge and sediment was cleaned by Versen under the direction of NJDEP. In 1985, contaminated cooling water, obtained from an onsite well, was discharged into the storm sewer and Haunsmans Ditch. Again, under NJDEP supervision, Versen cleaned up the contamination and ceased using the well. NJDEP is currently investigating the extent of area-wide ground water contamination. As of this report, source(s) have not been identified.
(Attachments A, B, C, E)

PRIORITY FOR FURTHER ACTION: High ☐ Medium ☐ Low ☒ None ☐

RECOMMENDATIONS

No further action is recommended at the Kurt Versen facility unless NJDEP-DWR investigations reveal it as a source of the area-wide ground water contamination.

Prepared by: Mark V. Sadowski

Date: April 9, 1986

Of: Malcolm Pirnie, Inc.

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PART 1 - SITE INFORMATION AND ASSESSMENT

I. IDENTIFICATION
01 STATE NJ 02 SITE NUMBER 308

II. SITE NAME AND LOCATION

01 SITE NAME (Legal, common, or descriptive name of site) Kurt Versen Company		02 STREET, ROUTE NO., OR SPECIFIC LOCATION IDENTIFIER 10 Charles Street			
03 CITY Westwood	04 STATE NJ	05 ZIP CODE 07576	06 COUNTY Bergen	07 COUNTY CODE	08 CONG. DIST.
09 COORDINATES LATITUDE 40 58 58.0 LONGITUDE 74 01 05.0		BLOCK 1111 LOT 11A			

10 DIRECTIONS TO SITE (Starting from nearest public road) Proceed east on Old Hook Road From Kinderkamack Rd. to first traffic light. Turn right onto Charles Street. The site is on the right.

III. RESPONSIBLE PARTIES

01 OWNER (if known) Richard C. Ansfield		02 STREET (Business, mailing, residential) 10 Charles Street			
03 CITY Westwood	04 STATE NJ	05 ZIP CODE 07576	06 TELEPHONE NUMBER ()		
07 OPERATOR (if known and different from owner) Emil Loeffel, Plant Manager		08 STREET (Business, mailing, residential) 10 Charles Street			
09 CITY Westwood	10 STATE NJ	11 ZIP CODE 07576	12 TELEPHONE NUMBER (201) 6648200		

13 TYPE OF OWNERSHIP (Check one)
☒ A. PRIVATE ☐ B. FEDERAL ☐ C. STATE ☐ D. COUNTY ☐ E. MUNICIPAL
(Agency name)
☐ F. OTHER ☐ G. UNKNOWN
(Specify)

14 OWNER/OPERATOR NOTIFICATION ON FILE (Check all that apply)
☐ A. RCRA 3001 DATE RECEIVED: MONTH DAY YEAR ☐ B. UNCONTROLLED WASTE (CERCLA 103c) DATE RECEIVED: MONTH DAY YEAR ☒ C. NONE

IV. CHARACTERIZATION OF POTENTIAL HAZARD

01 ON SITE INSPECTION BY (Check all that apply)
☒ YES DATE 12/02/85 ☐ A. EPA ☐ B. EPA CONTRACTOR ☒ C. STATE ☐ D. OTHER CONTRACTOR
☐ NO MONTH DAY YEAR ☐ E. LOCAL HEALTH OFFICIAL ☐ F. OTHER (Specify)
CONTRACTOR NAME(S)

02 SITE STATUS (Check one) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A. ACTIVE <input type="checkbox"/> B. INACTIVE <input type="checkbox"/> C. UNKNOWN	03 YEARS OF OPERATION 1964 PRES BEGINNING YEAR ENDING YEAR <input type="checkbox"/> UNKNOWN
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04 DESCRIPTION OF SUBSTANCES POSSIBLY PRESENT, KNOWN, OR ALLEGED
The company manufactures anodized aluminum light fixtures. Analyses of process and cooling waters discharge indicates heavy metals, trichloroethylene, and perchloroethylene. (Attachment A,B,D)

05 DESCRIPTION OF POTENTIAL HAZARD TO ENVIRONMENT AND/OR POPULATION
The facility has been cited in an ACO by NJDEP for discharging wastewater to a tributary to the Oradell Reservoir. The company complied with cleanup orders in 1981 and 1985. (Attachment A, B)

V. PRIORITY ASSESSMENT

01 PRIORITY FOR INSPECTION (Check one. If high or medium is checked, complete Part 2 - Waste information and Part 3 - Description of Hazardous Conditions and Incidents)
☐ A. HIGH (Inspection required promptly) ☐ B. MEDIUM (Inspection required) ☒ C. LOW (Inspection on time available basis) ☐ D. NONE (No further action needed, complete current disposition form)

VI. INFORMATION AVAILABLE FROM

01 CONTACT Robert Hayden	02 OF (Agency/Organization) NJDEP - HSMA, BEERA	03 TELEPHONE NUMBER (201) 6332219
04 PERSON RESPONSIBLE FOR ASSESSMENT Mark V. Sadowski	05 AGENCY M. Pirnie, Inc	06 ORGANIZATION (201) 8450400
		07 TELEPHONE NUMBER 04/09/86 MONTH DAY YEAR



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PART 2- WASTE INFORMATION

I. IDENTIFICATION

01 STATE NJ 02 SITE NUMBER 308

II. WASTE STATES, QUANTITIES, AND CHARACTERISTICS

01 PHYSICAL STATES (Check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> A. SOLID <input type="checkbox"/> B. POWDER, FINES <input type="checkbox"/> C. SLUDGE <input type="checkbox"/> D. OTHER <div>(Specify)</div>		02 WASTE QUANTITY AT SITE <i>(Measures of waste quantities must be independent)</i> TONS unknown CUBIC YARDS unknown NO. OF DRUMS unknown	03 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS (Check all that apply) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A. TOXIC <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> B. CORROSIVE <input type="checkbox"/> C. RADIOACTIVE <input type="checkbox"/> D. PERSISTENT <input type="checkbox"/> E. SOLUBLE <input type="checkbox"/> F. INFECTIOUS <input type="checkbox"/> G. FLAMMABLE <input type="checkbox"/> H. IGNITABLE <input type="checkbox"/> I. HIGHLY VOLATILE <input type="checkbox"/> J. EXPLOSIVE <input type="checkbox"/> K. REACTIVE <input type="checkbox"/> L. INCOMPATIBLE <input type="checkbox"/> M. NOT APPLICABLE	
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III. WASTE TYPE

CATEGORY	SUBSTANCE NAME	01 GROSS AMOUNT	02 UNIT OF MEASURE	03 COMMENTS
SLU	SLUDGE			
OLW	OILY WASTE	1000	Gallons	Hydraulic Oil
SOL	SOLVENTS	unknown		Discharged in Wastewater
PSD	PESTICIDES			
OCC	OTHER ORGANIC CHEMICALS			
IOC	INORGANIC CHEMICALS	unknown		
ACD	ACIDS	unknown		
BAS	BASES			
MES	HEAVY METALS	unknown		Discharged to Sewer.

IV. HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES *(See Appendix for most frequently cited CAS Numbers)*

01 CATEGORY	02 SUBSTANCE NAME	03 CAS NUMBER	04 STORAGE/DISPOSAL METHOD	05 CONCENTRATION	06 MEASURE OF CONCENTRATION
IOC	Arsenic	7440-38-2	Discharged		
IOC	Cyanide	57-12-5	Discharged	0.03	ppm
SOL	1,2dichloroethylene	540-59-0	Discharged	17	ppb
SOL	Perchloroethylene	127-18-4	Discharged	13	ppb
SOL	Toluene	108-88-3	Discharged	26	ppb
SOL	Trichloroethylene	74-01-6	Discharged	144	ppb
MES	Copper	7440-50-8	Discharged	1200	ppb
MES	Lead	7439-92-1	Discharged	100	ppb
MES	Zinc	7440-66-4	Discharged	303	ppb
ACD	Phosphoric Acid	999	2000 Gal Tank		
ACD	Nitric Acid	999	15 Gal Kegs		
ACD	Sulfuric Acid	999	55 Gal Drums		
OLW	Hydraulic Oil	999	Drums/Reclaimer		
	(Attachments A, B, C)				

V. FEEDSTOCKS *(See Appendix for CAS Numbers)*

CATEGORY	01 FEEDSTOCK NAME	02 CAS NUMBER	CATEGORY	01 FEEDSTOCK NAME	02 CAS NUMBER
FDS			FDS		
FDS			FDS		
FDS			FDS		
FDS			FDS		

VI. SOURCES OF INFORMATION *(Cite specific references, e.g. state files, sample analysis, reports)*

NJDEP, DWR Files: Attachment A, B, & C



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PART 3 - DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS

I. IDENTIFICATION

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II. HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS

01 ☒ A. GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☒ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

The contamination in the 1985 event may have originated from a contaminated aquifer tapped by the facility well. NJDEP suspects that Versen may have contaminated its own well. (Attachment B,C,D)

01 ☒ B. SURFACE WATER CONTAMINATION 02 ☒ OBSERVED (DATE: 1981/85) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

NJDEP cited the facility for illegally discharging contaminated process and cooling water's to a ditch which drains into the Oradell Reservoir. Both events were remediated by Versen. (Attachment B)

01 ☐ C. CONTAMINATION OF AIR 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

01 ☐ D. FIRE/EXPLOSIVE CONDITIONS 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

01 ☐ E. DIRECT CONTACT 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

01 ☒ F. CONTAMINATION OF SOIL 02 ☒ OBSERVED (DATE: 1981) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 AREA POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

Soil surrounding the broken sewer was contaminated. This soil was removed by Versen under NJDEP supervision. (Attachment A,B,E)

01 ☒ G. DRINKING WATER CONTAMINATION 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☒ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

The ditch receiving wastewater discharges to the Oradell Reservoir is part of the Hackensack Water Company supply system. (Attachments B,D,E)

01 ☐ H. WORKER EXPOSURE/INJURY 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 WORKERS POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

01 ☒ I. POPULATION EXPOSURE/INJURY 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☒ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED

03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____ 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION

While no detectable levels of contaminants, attributable to the Versen discharge, were found in the reservoir, a potential existed for contamination of a public water supply. (Attachment B,D,E)



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PART 3 - DESCRIPTION OF HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS

I. IDENTIFICATION

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II. HAZARDOUS CONDITIONS AND INCIDENTS (Continued)

01 ☐ J. DAMAGE TO FLORA 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:

01 ☐ K. DAMAGE TO FAUNA 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION (Include name(s) of species):

01 ☐ L. CONTAMINATION OF FOOD CHAIN 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:

01 ☐ M. UNSTABLE CONTAINMENT OF WASTES
(Spills/runoff/standing liquids/leaking drums) 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
03 POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: 04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:

01 ☒ N. DAMAGE TO OFFSITE PROPERTY 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☒ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:

A potential existed for damage to the Oradell Reservoir from
contaminated discharge.
(Attachments B,C,E)

01 ☒ O. CONTAMINATION OF SEWERS, STORM DRAINS, WWTPs 02 ☒ OBSERVED (DATE: 1981/85) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:

NJDEP observed contaminated discharge entering a local stream via
storm drains.
(Attachment B,C,E)

01 ☐ P. ILLEGAL/UNAUTHORIZED DUMPING 02 ☐ OBSERVED (DATE: _____) ☐ POTENTIAL ☐ ALLEGED
04 NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION:

05 DESCRIPTION OF ANY OTHER KNOWN, POTENTIAL, OR ALLEGED HAZARDS:

III. TOTAL POPULATION POTENTIALLY AFFECTED: _____

IV. COMMENTS

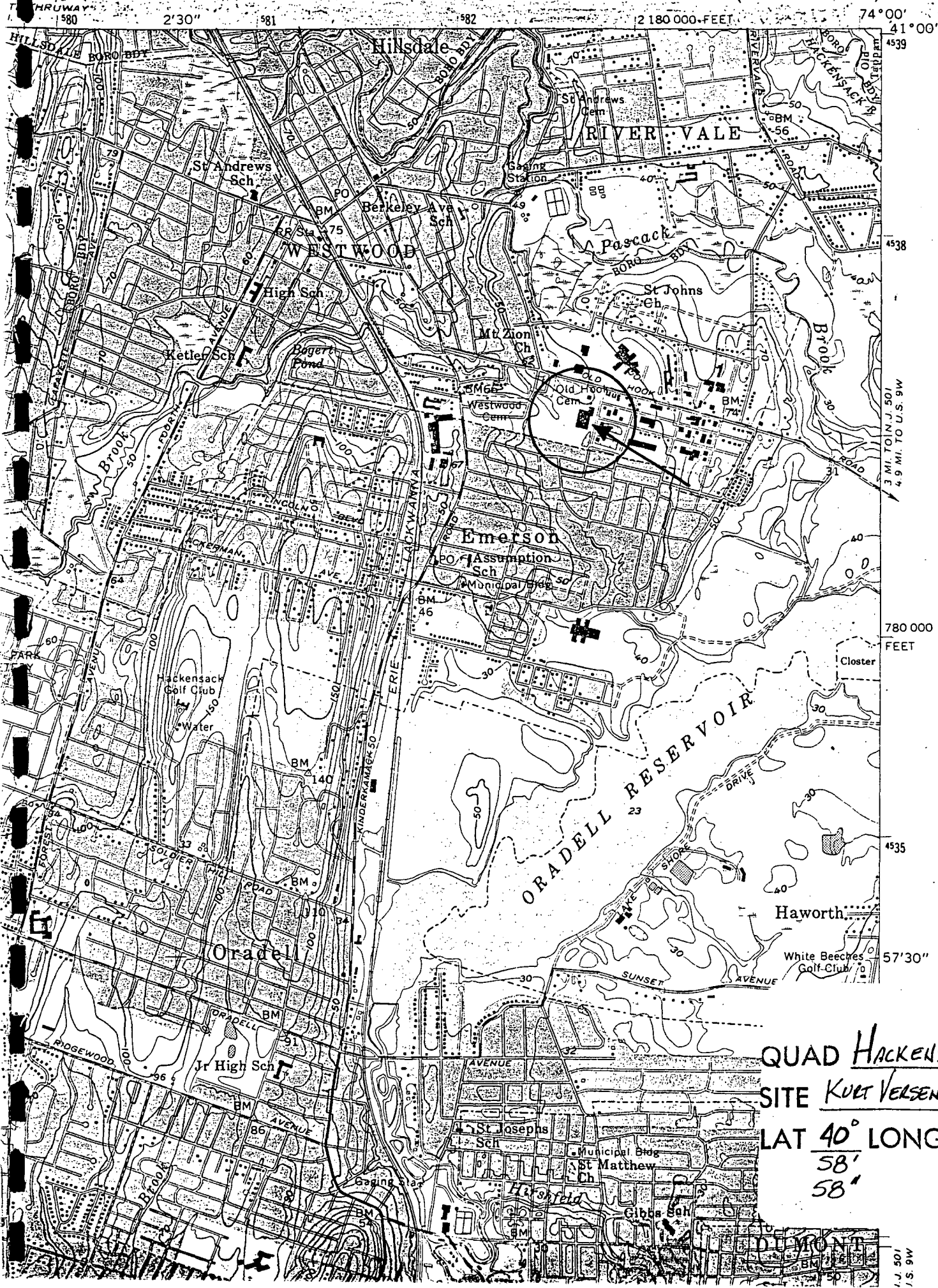
NJDEP/DWR reports the groundwater in the area is contaminated from
undetermined sources and is conducting an area-wide investigation.

V. SOURCES OF INFORMATION (Cite specific references, e.g. state files, sample analysis, reports)

NJDEP/DWR, DWM Files: Attachment A - E

NEW JERSEY
7.5 MINUTE SERIES (TOPOGRAPHIC)

6255 INYAL



QUAD HACKENSACK
SITE KURT VERSEN CO.
LAT 40° LONG 74°
58' 01'
58" 05"

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J 501

NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES
ENFORCEMENT ELEMENT

INDUSTRIAL SURVEY

FACILITY NAME: Kurt Versen

ADDRESS: 10 Charles Street
Westwood, NJ

1. Briefly describe nature and type of operations. manufacture industrial lighting fixtures

2. Length of time at present address: since 1964

3. Previous occupants (adding any info on nature of their operations): original occupants

4. Disposition of facility's wastewater (check as appropriate):

Domestic:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public sewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Septic system	<input type="checkbox"/> Stream discharge
Cooling:	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public sewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Septic system
Process:	<input type="checkbox"/> None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Public sewer	<input type="checkbox"/> Septic system

oxidizing

5. If discharging wastewater to a public sewer system, complete the following:

a. When did public sewer service become available? always

b. What was previous method of disposal? none

c. How were septic systems abandoned? none

Are any still in place? ☐ YES ☒ NO Accessible for sampling? ☐ YES ☒ NO

Are any septic systems still in use? ☐ YES ☒ NO

Are dry wells, seepage pits, lagoons, etc. used for any purpose including stormwater handling (indicate type and purpose)? runoff basin for new

bldg.

List any type of solvent, degreaser, oil, fuels, laquer, varnish, paint thinner or other chemicals specific to the particular investigation which are used in past or present operations at the facility (Use form on page 2).

7. Chemical handling (continue ...)

TYPE	USE	STORAGE METHOD	VOLUME	DISPOSAL METHOD
1	water soluble oils	lubricants	55 gal.	15-20 total
2	to sewer			
3	phosphoric acid	2000 gal.	tank above ground	6 yrs old
4	10,000 gal. heating oil	#2 in ground	1974 put in	
5	nitric acid	15 gal.	kegs anodizing	5 total
6	sulfuric acid	55 gal.	drums	5 total
7	paints (water base)	6	55 gal drums	
8	caustic acid	4 or 5 drums	neutralization	
9	and anodizing process			
10	cleaning solution to sewer	powder & liquid in		
11	55 gal drums			
12				

8. If any of the above listed materials are stored in tanks, complete the following:

a. Indicate which tanks are ABOVE GROUND by listing the number(s) of the appropriate line above: #3

Is surface below tanks impervious? ☒ YES ☐ NO Are tanks diked? ☒ YES ☐ NO

b. Indicate which tanks are BELOW GROUND by listing the number(s) of the appropriate line above: #4

c. Is piping for tanks located above or below ground? above

d. Recent tank integrity testing(list dates): #4 in 1981

e. Have there been any spills, leaks, or other uncontrolled releases of these materials? ☐ YES ☒ NO If YES: Date of incident _____

Volume of loss _____

Cleanup method _____

f. Has there been any unaccounted for inventory losses of these materials?

☐ YES ☒ NO Explain: _____

9. RCRA Facility? YES ✓ NO If YES, list: EPA I.D. # NJD0001471614

Loeffell Waste Oil Service
West Milford Facility type: ☒ generator ☐ transporter

500-1000 gal: or burn in furnace storage disposal
 10. Air Pollution Permits? YES NO STACK Number(s) 8 or 9

11. NJPDES Wastewater Discharge Permit YES ☒ NO NJPDES # NJ

Discharge to SURFACE? GROUND? Receiving Waters: _____

12. WELLS? ☒ YES ☐ NO DEPTH 395' Use(s) of wellwater cooling & process

Any recent analyses of wellwater? ✓ YES NO (Obtain copies if possible)

City water? yes Backflow prevention device? YES ☒ NO

INSPECTION OBSERVATIONS

1. Does process result in the discharge or spillage of materials of concern? YES NO

If YES, explain including the source of possible discharges via floor drains, gratings, sumps, etc.

2. Is spillage evident in the chemical storage/transfer area? YES NO

If YES, describe: _____

3. COMMENTS: 2/85 new bldg. completed; warehouse
& tenant space; was parking lot & woods

4. INFORMATION FURNISHED BY: John Pecoraro, Plant Engineer
(Company Representative) (Title)

DATE OF INSPECTION: December 2, 1985

ATTACHMENT A-3

7.

HIGH MEDIUM LOW

a. SAMPLING YES ☒ NO

b. More detailed inspection YES ☒ NO

c. Tank integrity testing YES ☒ NO

d. Other, explain:

SRVEY CONDUCTED BY:

Patricia Cane Enr. Spec
(NJDEP Representative) (Title)

MIKE PARDINOCK Comp. Inv.
(NJDEP Representative) (Title)

ATTACHMENT A-4



State of New Jersey
Department of Environmental Protection

Return forms to:

INDUSTRIAL SURVEY PROJECT
P.O. BOX 251
TRENTON, NEW JERSEY 08602

ID 00615

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OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER

SELECTED SUBSTANCE REPORT

PART I - General Plant Information

COMPLETE ONE REPORT FOR EACH PLANT SITE OR FACILITY LOCATION

1. Company Name Kurt Versen Company
2. Division or Plant Name _____
3. Mailing Address (Street) 10 Charles Street,
(City/Town) Westwood County Bergen State N.J. Zip Code 07675
4. Plant Location Address (Street) (same)
(If not as above)
(City/Town) _____ County _____ State _____ Zip Code _____
5. Date Plant Began Operations At This Location Time, 1964
6. Person to Contact Regarding this Report John Pecoraro Title Plant Engineer
7. Phone Number (Area Code) 201-664-8200
8. SIC Code (Four Digit) _____ Standard Industrial Classification (if available)
9. Nature of Business Manufacturer of Industrial Lighting Fixtures
10. Number of Production Employees at this Plant Site 108
11. Does this plant manufacture, process, form, repackage, release, use, dispose of or store any of the selected substances shown on Table I of the enclosed instructions? (Check One) YES ☒ NO ☐
- If your answer to number 11 is "YES", complete the Entire Report for your facility, sign and return.
- If your answer to number 11 is "NO", complete Question 15, sign and return.

I, HEREBY, CERTIFY THAT ALL STATEMENTS MADE BY ME IN THIS REPORT ARE TRUE, COMPLETE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND THAT ESTIMATES WHERE USED HAVE BEEN MADE IN GOOD FAITH.

NAME (Print) John P. Pecorello Signature John P. Pecorello
Title Plant Engineer Date 6/15/82

12A. Sketch (On the reverse side of this page) or attach a copy of a map indicating the exact location of the plant site.

126. Supply your Dun & Bradstreet number if available. _____

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Due date:
9/18/82

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AMBER ALUMINUM CO
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ATTACHMENT

A-5

WES. INQ. IDENT.

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List all of the selected substances included in this report along with their CAS Numbers (From Table I of the instructions) which are manufactured, processed, formed, repackaged, released, used, disposed of or stored at the plant site:

7440-38-2 Arsenic

7440-50-8 Copper

7439-97-6 Mercury

7440-66-6 Zinc

14. Wastewater Discharges - Complete the following information:

A. Discharge to publicly owned treatment works (POTW):

1. Name of Utility (POTW) Bergen County Utilities Authority

Address/Location Box 122, Little Ferry, New Jersey

2. Estimated Average Volume of Wastewater Discharged to POTW in a day

10,000 gallons.

3. Briefly describe any pretreatment methods controlled addition of caustic solution to insure an acceptable pH reading of waste solution being discharged into the sewer.

4. Wastewater consists of: (X) Process Water, () Contact Cooling, () Non-Contact Cooling, () Domestic Sewage, () Contaminated Storm Water, () Washdown Water, () Scrubber Water, () Other:

B. Discharge to Navigable Waterway or Tributary Stream:

1. Name of Receiving Stream N/A

2. NPDES Permit Number

3. Estimated average volume of wastewater discharged to receiving stream in a day

gallons.

4. Briefly describe any treatment methods controlled additions of caustic solution to neutralize wastewater

5. Wastewater consists of: (X) Process Water, () Contact Cooling, () Non-Contact Cooling, () Domestic Sewage, () Contaminated Storm Water, () Washdown Water, () Scrubber Water, () Other:

15. Previous disposal practices (1930-1977). Has this plant previously disposed of wastes containing any of the selected substances at any land disposal site (i.e. by land spreading or burial, landfilling, lagoon or seepage pit) either on or off site?

YES ☐ NO ☒

If available provide the following information for each disposal site. Use additional pages if necessary.

Name and Location of Site

Time period site was used

Name of selected substances disposed of at this site

Physical State

Amount of selected substance disposed at site (pounds)

ATTACHMENT A-6

SELECTED SUBSTANCE REPORT

FOR DEP USE

COMPLETE ONE FORM FOR EACH SELECTED SUBSTANCE

Name and Location of Plant

Kurt Versen Company

10 Charles St. Westwood, N. J.

I.D.

Selected Substance Name

Arsenic

CAS #

7440-38-2

Briefly Describe Its Use On The Site:

Produced as a By-Product of Plating operation and disposal
is by means of sanitary sewer in amounts acceptable by
E.P.A.

CHECK ONE

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
FOR THE PLANT BASED ON 1978 USAGEENTER THE ACTUAL
OR ESTIMATED AMOUNTSUSE THE RE-
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QUANTITIES	4. QUANTITY PRODUCED ON SITE	in acceptable limits	lbs/yr.		
	5. QUANTITY BROUGHT ONTO SITE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	6. QUANTITY CONSUMED ON SITE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	7. QUANTITY SHIPPED OFF SITE AS (OR IN) PRODUCT	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	8. MAXIMUM INVENTORY	N/A	lbs		
EMISSIONS	9. TOTAL STACK EMISSIONS OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
	10. TOTAL FUGITIVE EMISSIONS OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
DISCHARGE	11. TOTAL DISCHARGE OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE INTO SURFACE WATER	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
	12. TOTAL DISCHARGE OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE INTO PUBLICLY OWNED TREATMENT WORKS	in acceptable limits	lbs/yr.		
		in acceptable limits	max lbs/day		

13. DISPOSAL OF WASTE CONTAINING THE SELECTED SUBSTANCE

LOCATION OF FINAL DISPOSAL SITE NAME AND ADDRESS	PHYSICAL STATE TABLE A	DISPOSAL METHOD TABLE B	QUANTITY OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE DISPOSED (lbs)	FOR DEP USE
1.				
2.				
3.				
4.				
5.				

TABLE A
PHYSICAL STATE

W-01 Solid
W-02 Liquid
W-03 Slurry
W-04 Sludge
W-09 Other (specify)

M-01 Composting
M-02 Evaporation
M-03 Holding Tank
M-04 Incineration
M-05 Injection Well
M-06 Lagoon

TABLE B
DISPOSAL METHODS

M-07 Land Burial
M-08 Land Spreading
M-09 Neutralization
M-10 Ocean Disposal
M-11 Recycling
M-12 Sanitary Landfill

M-13 Surface Water
M-14 Subsurface System
M-15 Pyrolysis
M-16 Spray Irrigation
M-17 Stored On Site
M-18 Other (specify)

ATTACHMENT A-7



SELECTED SUBSTANCE REPORT

COMPLETE ONE FORM FOR EACH SELECTED SUBSTANCE

FOR DEP USE

Name and Location of Plant Kurt Versen Company 10 Charles Street Westwood, N.J.		I.D.	
Selected Substance Name Copper		CAS # 7440-50-8	

3. Briefly Describe Its Use On The Site:

Produced as a By-Product of Plating operation and disposal
is by means of sanitary sewer in amounts acceptable by
E.P.A.

CHECK ONE

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR THE PLANT BASED ON 1978 USAGE		ENTER THE ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED AMOUNTS	USE THE RE- QUESTED UNITS	ACT- UAL	ESTI- MATED
QUANTITIES	4. QUANTITY PRODUCED ON SITE	in acceptable limits	lbs/yr.		
	5. QUANTITY BROUGHT ONTO SITE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	6. QUANTITY CONSUMED ON SITE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	7. QUANTITY SHIPPED OFF SITE AS (OR IN) PRODUCT	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	8. MAXIMUM INVENTORY	N/A	lbs		
EMISSIONS	9. TOTAL STACK EMISSIONS OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
	10. TOTAL FUGITIVE EMISSIONS OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
DISCHARGE	11. TOTAL DISCHARGE OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE INTO SURFACE WATER	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
	12. TOTAL DISCHARGE OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE INTO PUBLICLY OWNED TREATMENT WORKS	in acceptable limits	lbs/yr.		
		in acceptable limits	max lbs/day		

13. DISPOSAL OF WASTE CONTAINING THE SELECTED SUBSTANCE

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TABLE B
DISPOSAL METHODS

M-07 Land Burial
M-08 Land Spreading
M-09 Neutralization
M-10 Ocean
M-11 Recycling
M-12 Sanitary Landfill

M-13 Surface Water
M-14 Subsurface System
M-15 Pyrolysis
M-16 Spray Irrigation
M-17 Stored On Site
M-98 Other (specify)

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SELECTED SUBSTANCE REPORT

COMPLETE ONE FORM FOR EACH SELECTED SUBSTANCE

FOR DEP USE

Name and Location of Plant Art Versen Company 10 Charles St. Westwood, N.J.		I.D.	
2. Selected Substance Name Mercury		CAS # 7439-97-6	
3. Briefly Describe Its Use On The Site: Produced as a By-Product of Plating operation and disposal is by means of sanitary sewer in amounts acceptable by E.P.A.			
CHECK ONE			

	COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION FOR THE PLANT BASED ON 1978 USAGE	ENTER THE ACTUAL OR ESTIMATED AMOUNTS	USE THE REQUESTED UNITS	ACTUAL	ESTIMATED
THROUGHPUT QUANTITIES	4. QUANTITY PRODUCED ON SITE	in acceptable limits	lbs/yr.		
	5. QUANTITY BROUGHT ONTO SITE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	6. QUANTITY CONSUMED ON SITE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	7. QUANTITY SHIPPED OFF SITE AS (OR IN) PRODUCT	N/A	lbs/yr.		
	8. MAXIMUM INVENTORY	N/A	lbs		
AIR EMISSIONS	9. TOTAL STACK EMISSIONS OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
	10. TOTAL FUGITIVE EMISSIONS OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE	N/A	lbs/yr.		
		N/A	max lbs/day		
WASTEWATER DISCHARGE	11. TOTAL DISCHARGE OF SELECTED SUBSTANCE INTO SURFACE WATER	N/A	lbs/yr.		
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SELECTED SUBSTANCE REPORT

COMPLETE ONE FORM FOR EACH SELECTED SUBSTANCE

FOR DEP USE

Name and Location of Plant Kurt Versen Company 10 Charles Street Westwood, N.J.		I.D.	
2. Selected Substance Name Zinc		CAS # 7440-66-6	
3. Briefly Describe Its Use On The Site: Produced as a By-Product of Plating operation and disposal is by means of sanitary sewer in amounts acceptable by E.P.A.			

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CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Kurt Versen Company
10 Charles Street
Westwood, NJ 07675

Attention: Mr. John Pecoraro, Plant Engineer

Re: Illegal Surface Water Discharge
Kurt Versen Company
Westwood/Bergen County

Dear Mr. Pecoraro:

There is enclosed for service upon you an Administrative Order and Notice of Civil Administrative Penalty Assessment, issued by this Department pursuant to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10(b) and N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10(d).

If you have any questions concerning this Order, contact Peter T. Lynch, Chief, Metro Bureau of Regional Enforcement, 1100 Raymond Boulevard, Room 510, Newark, NJ 07102 or by telephoning (201) 648-2030.

Very truly yours,

John W. Gaston, Jr.

John W. Gaston, Jr., P.E.
Director

cc: USEPA
Paul DeStefano, H.O.
Marianne Montgomery

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IN THE MATTER OF
KURT VERSEN COMPANY

* ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND *
* NOTICE OF CIVIL ADMINISTRATIVE *
* PENALTY ASSESSMENT *

The following FINDINGS are made and ORDER and NOTICE issued pursuant to the authority vested in the Commissioner of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) by N.J.S.A. 13:1D-1 et seq., and the New Jersey Water Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq., and duly delegated to the Director of the Division of Water Resources pursuant to N.J.S.A. 13:1B-4.

FINDINGS

1. Kurt Versen Company ("Kurt Versen") operates an aluminum light fixture manufacturing facility located at 10 Charles Street, Lot No. 11A and Block No. 1111, Westwood, Bergen County, New Jersey.
2. On March 18, 1981 an inspection was conducted by a representative of NJDEP's Division of Water Resources (DWR) at Kurt Versen. The inspection revealed that untreated sewage and industrial wastewaters were being discharged from a sanitary sewer line owned by the Kurt Versen Company to Haunsman's Ditch without a New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) permit as required by the Water Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq. Haunsman's Ditch is

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a tributary of the Oradell Reservoir and a source of potable water. Mr. Emil Loeffel, the plant manager, was informed at the time of the inspection that the discharge constituted a violation of N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq.

3. On March 19, 1981 DWR issued a Telegram Order to the Kurt Versen Company requiring the company to immediately cease the discharge of pollutants, perform necessary repairs to the subject sewer line, remove accumulated solids from Haunsman's Ditch, and upon completion of these actions, submit a report regarding the discharge incident of March 18, 1981 to DWR.
4. On April 7, 1981 Kurt Versen submitted to DWR a memorandum summarizing the conditions which led to the discharge and the corrective actions taken to comply with the DWR's Telegram Order noted in paragraph 3 of this Order. According to the memorandum, these actions included: 1) the elimination of the discharge by the discontinuation of production; 2) the installation of a temporary pipeline to bypass the storm sewer; 3) the construction of containment barriers; 4) the clean-up of contaminated water and sludge from Haunsman's Ditch; and, 5) the completion of a new sewer line on April 10, 1981. A representative of the DWR verified completion of the clean-up on March 27, 1981.
5. On February 25, 1985 an inspection of Kurt Versen was conducted by DWR in response to a complaint received from the Hackensack Water Company. The inspection revealed that compressor cooling wastewater was being discharged by Kurt Versen to Haunsman's Ditch. Analysis of samples collected during the inspection revealed the following pollutants:

<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Concentration</u>
trichloroethene	280 ug/l
1,2 dichloroethene	17 ug/l
tetrachloroethene	4.0 ug/l
toluene	3.0 ug/l
total suspended solids	42 mg/l
petroleum hydrocarbons	80.43 mg/l
chemical oxygen demand	44 mg/l
iron	1177 ug/l
lead	59 ug/l
temperature	30°C

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6. On March 5, 1985 DWR issued a Telegram Order requiring Kurt Versen to immediately cease the discharge of pollutants and submit a report detailing the corrective measures implemented.
7. In response to DWR's Telegram Order referenced in paragraph 6 of this Order, on March 11, 1985 Kurt Versen submitted a letter indicating that the discharge to surface waters had been eliminated and that the wastewater had been repiped to the sanitary sewer system. Representatives of DWR inspected Kurt Versen on March 14, 1985 and confirmed that the corrective action had been taken.
8. Kurt Versen does not have, nor has it ever applied for, a New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NJPDES) Permit to discharge to surface waters. Kurt Versen has violated N.J.S.A. 58:10A-6(a) and N.J.A.C. 7:14A-1.2(c) in that it has discharged pollutants, including hazardous substances as identified by N.J.A.C. 7:1E-1.3(j), without having obtained a valid NJPDES permit.

ORDER

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT Kurt Versen Company shall:

9. Cease all discharges of pollutants except in conformity with a valid New Jersey Pollutant Discharge Elimination System Permit that has been issued by DWR pursuant to the New Jersey Water Pollution Control Act, N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq.

NOTICE OF CIVIL

ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY ASSESSMENT

10. Based upon the above FINDINGS, the NJDEP has determined that a Civil Administrative Penalty should be assessed against you pursuant to N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10(d) and N.J.A.C. 7:14-8.1 et seq.
11. Based upon a review of the criteria contained in N.J.A.C. 7:14-8.1 et seq., the NJDEP has determined that the amount of the penalty should be set at \$3750.00. Payment must be made by check or money order to "Treasurer, State of New Jersey" and submitted to NJDEP at the address in the following paragraph.

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12. Any submission of information required by this ORDER and NOTICE OF CIVIL ADMINISTRATIVE PENALTY ASSESSMENT shall be made to:

Mr. Peter T. Lynch, Chief
Metro Bureau of Regional Enforcement
NJDEP - Division of Water Resources
1100 Raymond Boulevard, Room 510
Newark, NJ 07102

13. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-1 et seq., and N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10(b) and (d), Kurt Versen Company is entitled to a hearing before NJDEP. Any hearing request must be delivered to the person and address listed in the preceding paragraph within twenty (20) calendar days from receipt of this ORDER and NOTICE. A hearing request does not stay the terms or effect of this ORDER.
14. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 52:14B-9(b) and N.J.A.C. 1:1-6.1(b), the applicant in its application for a hearing shall furnish NJDEP with the following:
- (a) A statement of the legal authority and jurisdiction under which the hearing or action to be held is requested pursuant to N.J.A.C. 1:1-6.1(b)(1);
 - (b) A reference to the particular sections of the statutes and rules involved;
 - (c) A short and plain statement of the matters of fact and law asserted; and,
 - (d) The Order provisions to which the applicant objects, the reasons for such objections, and any alternative provisions proposed by the applicant.
15. The provisions of this ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER and PENALTY ASSESSMENT shall be binding on Kurt Versen Company, its principals, agents, employees, successors, assigns, tenants and any trustee in bankruptcy or receiver appointed pursuant to a proceeding in law or equity.
16. No obligations imposed by this Order (with the exception of Paragraph No. 10) are intended to constitute a debt, damage claim, penalty or other civil action which should be limited

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or discharged in a bankruptcy proceeding. All obligations imposed by this Order shall constitute continuing regulatory obligations imposed pursuant to the police powers of the State of New Jersey, intended to protect the public, health, safety and welfare.

17. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that if no request for a hearing is received within twenty (20) calendar days, this NOTICE shall become a final Order and the Penalty would become due and payable.
18. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10 (d), NJDEP is authorized to assess a Civil Administrative Penalty of up to \$5,000 for each violation, and additional penalties of up to \$500 for each day during which such violation continues after receipt of an Administrative Order from NJDEP.
19. NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10(e), any person who violates this Administrative Order (or who fails to pay an Administrative Penalty in full) shall be subject to civil penalties of up to \$10,000 per day for each day of violation.
20. ~~NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN, that pursuant to N.J.S.A. 58:10A-10~~ (f), any person who willfully or negligently violates N.J.S.A. 58:10A-1 et seq., shall, upon conviction, be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be punished by fine of not less than \$2,500, nor more than \$25,000 per day of violation, or by imprisonment for not more than one (1) year, or by both.

DATE

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John W. Gaston, Jr.

JOHN W. GASTON, JR., P.E.
DIRECTOR

~~ENCLOSURE~~

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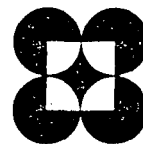
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NJDEP - Division of Water Resources
2 Babcock Place
West Orange, N.J. 07052

DEPT. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
NEWARK OFFICE

Attention: Mr. Peter T. Lynch, Chief
Metro Bureau of Regional Enforcement - NJDEP

Re: Administrative order and notice of civil administrative penalty
assessment dated October 22, 1985 in the matter of Kurt Versen
Company, Westwood, N.J.

Gentlemen:

Please consider the attached as an application for a hearing before NJDEP.

Background Information

Kurt Versen is a relatively small company manufacturing lighting fixtures and providing work for eighty-eight factory employees. We have been at our present location since 1964 and have a reputation within the community and industry for producing quality products. We keep our plant and grounds in a "show case" condition. It is, therefore, with surprise and chagrin that we have come to your attention and learn that a heavy fine may be imposed upon us.

The following brief statement regarding the facts should provide sufficient cause to justify a hearing where a full review can result in removal of any fine or penalty, and a clearing of our record.

Review of FINDINGS Items 1 - 4

The described findings of items 1 - 4 in your letter have no bearing on the present matter and we do not understand why they are mentioned. They relate to an incident during the early part of 1981 when both our sewer line and sanitary storm drain, which run together under our driveway, were damaged in the spring after a severe winter by the periodic movement of heavy trucking in and out of our parking lot (see attached drawing). The damage was sufficient to breach both pipes, resulting in a small amount of effluent seeping into the local storm drain. We were unaware of the break. Once the problem became known Kurt Versen took immediate action. We stopped production, installed a temporary storm line bypass, constructed containment barriers, and removed

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all of the contaminated water. All of this took place within an 11 day time period. As a permanent solution to the problem we installed a completely new sewer line. As a result of our immediate action and the working relationship with and guidance from the NJDEP DWR we are certain that the discharge was completely removed. All of the above corrective actions we outlined are in the record, but the costs were not. The costs associated with this incident were very heavy for a firm our size. They were as follows:

Loss of Production To Affected Departments	\$14,000.
Temporary Bypass Construction Costs	1,500.
Containment Barriers	500.
Removal of Contaminated Water	4,000.
New Sewer Line Connection Costs	12,000.
	<u>\$32,000.</u>

It is apparent from the above that we cooperated fully, with alacrity, once the problem became known to us. There was no willful pollution.

Review of FINDINGS Items 5 - 8

In April of 1979, Kurt Versen Company contracted Rinbrand Well Drilling to drill an artesian well on our property. This was specified on our purchase order number 23847, and completed in August of 1979. The well point is at a total depth of 395 feet.

The water from the well was intended to provide water to the lawn and provide supplemental water for one of the manufacturing processes. At that time a potable water test was performed on the discharge of the well and it was found to be acceptable. These results were passed to the Westwood Board of Health. At no time since have we been informed that our well water was contaminated. Westwood continues to this day to periodically monitor our well for potability. To date the well water is used only for manufacturing processes. In January of 1984, Kurt Versen Company received and installed a 75 horsepower water cooled Sullair air compressor. All machines in the shop are cooled by a 25 ton Carrier chiller unit, and it was assumed that this chiller would be sufficient to cool the compressor. With the demand on the compressor, the unit ran hot and needed additional cooling. In May of 1984 a portion of the well was put into service to cool the compressor. The water passes through a heat exchanger in a closed system and is then discharged into an abandoned roof drain going into the floor located near the compressor. No product or effluents are added to the water. The building constructed in 1964 had a provision for this discharge, approved by the town, to a storm water catch basin in the street.

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On February 25, 1985 the Department of Environmental Protection took water samples of the discharge from the catch basin in the front of our building. (See attached drawing). We did not have a permit for this discharge and were not aware that one was necessary. The analyses taken by the DEP and the Hackensack Water Company of the discharge showed that it contained pollutants. We do not, nor have we ever to my knowledge, purchased or used any items termed pollutants in our plant, and we explained this to the DEP and Hackensack Water Company. If the water is polluted it is not done by us. Additional tests were taken to determine the source of these pollutants. It was discovered by NJDEP, the Westwood Board of Health and Kurt Versen Company that they were coming from the well water. The source of pollution is unknown and since it comes from the aquifer, is not our responsibility.

Kurt Versen Company immediately stopped the discharge of the compressed cooling water. It was rerouted through the entire plant and put into the sanitary sewer line and we informed the local sewer authority of this change. Various tests were done on the well water since it was installed in 1979, and none of these results indicated the well was contaminated. The well connection to the front lawn watering system has also been discontinued since the pollution findings of the well were presented to us.

Conclusions

The 1981 event was an accident, consisting of a few hundred gallons of a highly diluted solution, which was quickly removed at great expense as soon as it became known to us. Kurt Versen Company went all out to prevent this accident from causing any damage whatsoever. We are certain that none of this discharge was released into the environment. Kurt Versen Company could not foresee this pollution accident and there is no justifiable cause for a fine.

The second event, unrelated, involved the discharge of well water from a closed system in which no pollutant was added by our use. It was discharged as it was drawn. At no time in the past were we informed that our well was contaminated. Our well has been used for many years to water the lawn, with minor runoff collecting in the catch basin. Both practices were immediately stopped upon learning

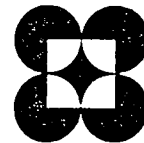
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of the contamination. Since we were not informed regarding the contamination and had no way of knowing the aquifer was not pure, the direct release of well water through the closed cooling system or watering the lawn should not be subject to a fine.

It is our belief that because of the circumstances involved with these discharges that a hearing should be granted or the fine abated and the matter dropped.

We look forward to your favorable reply.

Very truly yours,

KURT VERSEN COMPANY

Emil Loeffel
Emil Loeffel, P.E.
Plant Manager

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March 11, 1985

N.J. Dept. of Environmental Prevention
1100 Raymond Boulevard
Room 510
Newark, N.J. 07102

Attention: Mr. Peter T. Lynch, Chief Metro Region Enforcement Element
Division of Water Resources

Gentlemen:

We have received your mailgram dated 3/5/85 and would like to inform you of the steps we have taken in regard to the discharge mentioned in this mailgram. This discharge comes from our well and is used to cool an air compressor in our building. We have, as of Saturday, 3/9/85, discontinued the dumping of this cooling water into the storm sewer. We have repiped this discharge into a sanitary drain at the other end of our building.

We are amazed that this water contains trichlorethylene as the Hackensack Water Company has stated. We have been in contact with the Hackensack Water Company and they have come back and taken samples again both from our well and after the discharge from our compressor. We have also sent our own samples to an independent testing lab to confirm the presence of trichlorethylene, if it is in fact in the water. Our only belief is that possibly the well has been contaminated by ground water, and we will have to see if this is correct.

We hope that this will satisfy you in the actions we have taken and if there are any questions we ask that you please contact us as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

KURT VERSEN COMPANY

John Pecoraro
Plant Engineer

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REPORT OF PHONE CALL OR VISIT

Bureau or Office Metro

In ✓ Out

Date 12/6/85 Time 11:00

File Kurt Versen

Routing SP, PL
[Signature]

Person Contacted Mark Schwind Phone No. 641-2552

Affiliation BCUA

Subject of Call Visit Kurt Versen

Summary of Call Visit BCUA was never notified of connection to sewers. Found out by reading newspaper article. They would not have allowed the connection and intend to ask Kurt Versen to discontinue this practice.

samples of Kurt Versen's effluent for pretreatment program reflect the following:

BOD 10 ppm

TSS 10 ppm

Oil & Grease 16.3 ppm

Pet. Hyd. < .1 ppm

Toluene 26 ppb

Action Recommended Trichloroethylene 144 ppb

Copper 403 ppb

Lead < 100 ppb

Zinc 303 ppb

Cyanide .03 ppm

P. Carne

Signature

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Total flow from the facility is 13,800 gpd. Even though they're not an SIU, they are a categorical industry (electroplating) and are therefore regulated.

Mackensack Water Co. should have a report on ground water contamination, however, it may not include Westwood. We should check.

Someone from the Westwood Laundry contacted BCUA re our sampling.

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WATER ANALYSIS

MUNICIPALITY WESTWOOD		COUNTY BERGEN	STREAM
LOCALITY PORT VERSEN		LOCATION 10 CHARLES ST.	
PRESENTATIVE JOHN PECORARO	PLANT ENG.	TITLE PLANT ENGINEER	COIL NAME M. PIERDINOCK
REMARKS			221 10d

BACT. LAB NO.	_____
DATE REC'D	_____
BOTTLE NO.	36701
DATE REC'D.	_____
STORET	ENT. _____
	READ _____

STATION IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

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FIELD ANALYSIS

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<input type="checkbox"/> pH (Field)	P400,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Sample Depth-ft.	P3,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Gage Height-ft.	P65,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Spec. Cond. @ 25 °C	P95,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Salinity ‰	P480,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Tide Stage	P70211,				

BACTERIOLOGICAL - DILUTIONS (REQUESTED)

Fecal Coliform			-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-6
Total Coliform	10	1	10	10	10	10	10	10
Fecal Streptococci	10	1	-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-6
	10	1	10	10	10	10	10	10

Fecal coli ☐ MPN P31615,
/100 ml. ☐ MF P31613.

☐ Fecal Strept
MPN
/100 ml

P31677.

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<input type="checkbox"/> Tot coli MPN /100 ml	P31505,						
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BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND

INITIAL D.O. (lab.) _____ SAMPLE

SEED YES ☐ NO ☐

CONC. %			
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BOD			
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☐ BOD ☐ 5-DAY P310,

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☐ 6-DAY P312,

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ANALYSIS

UNITS

PARAMETER

VALUE

~~RMKS~~

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DATE _____

TIME

CHAIN OF CUSTODY
FROM (NAME)

TO (NAME)

SECRET

ATTACHMENT C-3

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
Department of Environmental Protection
Water Analysis

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT
WITH BALLPOINT PEN

MUNICIPALITY WESTWOOD	COUNTY BERGEN	STREAM HAUNSMANS DITCH
FACILITY KURT VERSEN CO.	LOCATION 70 CHARLES ST.	
REPRESENTATIVE EMIL LOEFFEL	TITLE PLANT MANAGER	COLL NAME DICK WHITE + H. NIERDRECK
REMARKS OUTFALL PIPE INTO CATCH BASIN		221
IN FRONT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY (EAST SIDE)		24d

CHAIN OF CUSTODY

BACT. LAB NO. _____

DATE REC'D. _____

BOTTLE NO. 26088

DATE REC'D. _____

STORET ENT. _____

READ _____

Station Identification Number

YR. MO. DAY

HOUR

Sample No.

[illegible]

FIELD ANALYSIS

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Water Temp. °C.	(2)	P00010.	3	0	C		
<input type="checkbox"/>	D.O. - Winkler	(3)	P00300.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	D.O. - Probe	(4)	P00299.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	pH (Field)	(5)	P00400.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sample Depth-ft.	(6)	P00003.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Stream Flow-CFS	(7)	P00061.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Gage Height-ft.	(8)	P00065.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Spec. Cond. @ 25 °C	(9)	P00095.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Salinity /00	(10)	P00480.					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Tide Stage	(11)	P70211.					

CONDITION CODES

<input type="checkbox"/>	Weather Conditions	(12) P00041,	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Flow Severity	(13) P01351,	
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____ Severity	(14) P013_ _,	
<input type="checkbox"/>	_____ Severity	(15) P013_ _,	

NUTRIENTS

	LEVEL	<input type="checkbox"/>	HIGH	<input type="checkbox"/>	LOW	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> NO ₂ - N.	(16) P00615.					
<input type="checkbox"/> NO ₂ + NO ₃ - N	(17) P00630.					
<input type="checkbox"/> NH ₃ - N	(18) P00610.					
<input type="checkbox"/> Tot. Kjeldahl N	(19) P00625.					
Ortho -						
PO ₄ as P	<input type="checkbox"/> (20) P70507.					
PO ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> (21) P00660.					
Phosphorus-						
tot as P	<input type="checkbox"/> (22) P00665.					
PO ₄	<input type="checkbox"/> (23) P00650.					

BACTERIOLOGICAL – DILUTIONS (REQUESTED)

[illegible]

BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND

INITIAL D.O. (lab.) _____ SAMPLE _____

SEED YES ☐ NO ☐

CONC. %			
BOD _____			

☐ BOD _____

5-DAY(28) P310. _____

6-DAY(29) P312. _____

☒ COD (30) P340,

4	4				
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☒ TOC (31) P00680,

6	.	3			
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<input type="checkbox"/> Color Pt - Cou	(32)P00080,								
<input type="checkbox"/> Turbidity	(33)P00076,								
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Suspended Solids	(34)P00530,	42							
<input type="checkbox"/> Suspended Solids	(35)P00540,								
Ash									
<input type="checkbox"/> Tot. Solids	(36)P00500,								
<input type="checkbox"/> Tot. Solids	(37)P00510,								
<input type="checkbox"/> Tot. Dissolved Solids (TDS)	(38)P70300,								

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> pH (LAB)	(39) P00403,	8	1		
<input type="checkbox"/> Alkalinity as CaCO ₃	(40) P00410,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Min. Acidity as CaCO ₃	(41) P00436,				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Chloride	(42) P00940,	1	8		
<input type="checkbox"/> MBAS	(43) P38260,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Phenols	(44) P32730,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Hardness - tot as CaCO ₃	(45) P00900,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Sulfate	(46) P00945,				
<input type="checkbox"/> Oil & Grease	(47) P00556,				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Petroleum Hydrocarbons	(48) P45501,	8	0	4	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Cyanide	(49) P00720,				

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> As - tot ug/l (50) P01002,	5	K
<input type="checkbox"/> Cd - tot ug/l (51) P01027,	2	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cr - tot ug/l (52) P01034,	1	0
<input type="checkbox"/> Cu - tot ug/l (53) P01042,	7	2
<input type="checkbox"/> Fe - tot ug/l (54) P01045,	1	1
<input type="checkbox"/> Hg - tot ug/l (55) P71900,	0	2
<input type="checkbox"/> Mn - tot ug/l (56) P01055,	2	3
<input type="checkbox"/> Ni - tot ug/l (57) P01067,	1	0
<input type="checkbox"/> Pb - tot ug/l (58) P01051,	5	9
<input type="checkbox"/> Zn - tot ug/l (59) P01092,	7	2

ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS

<input type="checkbox"/>	Cr (HEX)	0.005K
<input type="checkbox"/>	P	
<input type="checkbox"/>	P	
<input type="checkbox"/>	P	
<input type="checkbox"/>	P	

~~APR 26 1985~~

RESULTS mg/l unless otherwise noted

DEPT. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
NEWARK OFFICE
Chemist Review

REPORT SUBMITTED
ATTACHMENT
APR 11 1985

Part 1 (White) - Water Quality Inventory Copy
Part 2 (Canary) - Laboratory Copy

Part 3 (Pink) - Laboratory Copy
Part 4 (Goldenrod) - Field Samples Copy

COUNTY	BERGEN	TOWNSHIP	WARRINGTON
LOCATION	10 CHARLES ST.		
TITLE	PLANT MANAGER	COLL NAME BICK WHITE - H. NERDINOR	
FALL PIPE INFO CATCH BASIN		221	
FRONT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY (EAST SIDE)		240	

BOTTLE NO.	
DATE REC'D.	
STORER	ENT. READ

Station Identification Number	YR.	MO.	DAY	HOUR	Sample No.
850225	10	45			(1) P 8, 26082

FIELD ANALYSIS

Temp. (2) P00010	
D.O. Winkler (3) P00300	
Probe (4) P00299	
(Field) (5) P00400	
Sample Depth-ft. (6) P00003	
Stream Flow-CFS (7) P00061	
Gage Height-ft. (8) P00065	
Spec. Cond. 25°C (9) P00095	
Salinity 0/00 (10) P00480	
Stage (11) P70211	

CONDITION CODES

Weather Conditions (12) P00041	
Flow Severity (13) P01351	
Severity (14) P013	
Severity (15) P013	

NUTRIENTS

LEVEL	HIGH	LOW
NO ₂ - N (16) P00615		
O ₂ + NO ₃ - N (17) P00630		
NH ₃ - N (18) P00610		
tot. Kjeldahl N (19) P00625		
Ortho-P (20) P70507		
PO ₄ (21) P00660		
Phosphorus-P (22) P00665		
tot as PO ₄ (23) P00650		

BACTERIOLOGICAL - DILUTIONS (REQUESTED)

Fecal Coliform	10	1	-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-6
Total Coliform	10	1	10	10	10	10	10	10
Fecal Streptococci	10	1	-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-6
Fecal coli #100 ml	10	1	10	10	10	10	10	10
MPN (24) P31615								
MF (25) P31613								
Fecal Strept MPN/100ml (26) P31677								
Tot coli MPN/100 ml (27) P31505								

BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND

INITIAL D.O. (lab.) SAMPLE

SEED YES NO

CONC. %			
BOD			

BOD	5-DAY (28) P310						
	6-DAY (29) P312						

COD	(30) P340	44					
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TOC	(31) P00680	6.3					
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Color Pt - Cou	(32) P00080						
Turbidity	(33) P00076						
Suspended Solids	(34) P00530	42					
Suspended Solids Ash	(35) P00540						
Tot. Solids	(36) P00500						
Tot. Solids - Ash	(37) P00510						
Tot. Dissolved Solids (TDS)	(38) P70300						

pH (LAB) (39) P00403	
Alkalinity as CaCO ₃ (40) P00410	
Min. Acidity as CaCO ₃ (41) P00436	
Chloride (42) P00940	
MBAS (43) P38260	
Phenols (44) P32730	
Hardness - tot as CaCO ₃ (45) P00900	
Sulfate (46) P00945	
Oil & Grease (47) P00556	
Petroleum Hydrocarbons (48) P45501	80.437
Cyanide (49) P00720	

As - tot ug/l (50) P01002	5K
Cd - tot ug/l (51) P01027	2
Cr - tot ug/l (52) P01034	10K
Cu - tot ug/l (53) P01042	72
Fe - tot ug/l (54) P01045	1177
Hg - tot ug/l (55) P71900	0.2K
Mn - tot ug/l (56) P01055	23
Ni - tot ug/l (57) P01067	10K
Pb - tot ug/l (58) P01051	59
Zn - tot ug/l (59) P01092	724

ADDITIONAL ANALYSIS

Cr (Hex)	0.005K
P	
P	
P	
P	

RESULTS mg/l unless otherwise noted

ATTACHMENT C-5 (DUPLICATE OF C-4)

Chemist Review

Part 1 (White) - Water Quality Inventory Copy
Part 2 (Canary) - Laboratory Copy

Part 3 (Pink) - Laboratory Copy
Part 4 (Goldenrod) - Field Samplers Copy

**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT
WITH BALLPOINT PEN**

MUNICIPALITY WESTWOOD	COUNTY BERGEN	STREAM HAAUNSMANS DITCH
FACILITY KURT VERSEN CO.	LOCATION 10 CHARLES ST.	
REPRESENTATIVE EMIL LOEFFEL	TITLE PLANT MANAGER	COLL NAME WHITE + PIERDINOCK
REMARKS OUTFALL PIPE INTO CATCH BASIN		221
IN FRONT OF THE ABOVE COMPANY (EAST SIDE)		24d

BACT. LAB NO. _____
DATE REC'D. _____
BOTTLE NO. **26089**
DATE REC'D. _____
STORET ENT. _____
READ _____

STATION IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

YR. MO. DAY

HOUR

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FIELD ANALYSIS

- | | |
|--|---------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Water Temp °C | P10, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D.O.-Winkler | P300, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> D.O.-Probe | P299, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> pH (Field) | P400, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sample Depth-ft. | P3, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Gage Height-ft. | P65, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spec. Cond.
@ 25°C | P95, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Salinity ‰ | P480, |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tide Stage | P70211. |

BACTERIOLOGICAL - DILUTIONS (REQUESTED)

Fecal Coliform			-1	-2	-3	-4	-5	-6
Total Coliform	10	1	10	10	10	10	10	10

Fecal Streptococci	10	1	10	10	10	10	10	10
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Fecal coli	<input type="checkbox"/> MPN	P31615,					
/100 ml	<input type="checkbox"/> MF	P31613,					

<input type="checkbox"/> Fecal Strept MPN /100-ml	P31677.						
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<input type="checkbox"/> Tot coli MPN (/100 ml)	P31505,						

BIOCHEMICAL OXYGEN DEMAND

INITIAL D.O. (lab.) _____ SAMPLE _____
SEED YES ☐ NO ☐

CONC. %			
BOD			

☐ BOD ☐ 5-DAY P310,

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☐ 6-DAY P312,

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ANALYSIS

☐ VO SCAN

UNITS

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☐ 1,2 dichloroethene

☐ Tetrachloroethene

☐ Toluene

☐ Trichloroethene

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~~NEWARK OFFICE~~

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PARAMETER**VALUE****RMKS.**[illegible]

DATE _____

TIME

CHAIN OF CUSTODY
FROM (NAME)

ATTACHMENT C-6

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NJDOH Environmental
Chemistry Laboratory

Chemist Review

Part 1(White) - Water Quality Inventory Copy
Part 2(Green) - Chemistry Copy

Part 3(Pink) - Water Resources Copy(For Transmission)
Part 4(Yellow) - Bacteriology Copy

SLAK
HPL-1
Hackensack Water Company

200 Old Hook Road
Harrington Park, N.J. 07640
201-767-9300



March 5, 1985

Division of Water Resources
c/o Mr. Peter Lynch
1100 Raymond Blvd.
Newark, NJ 07102

Dear Mr. Lynch:

Following are the sampling analyses for TCE and PCE found discharging from a 4-inch diameter pipe to a catch basin located on the west side of Charles Street in Westwood, approximately 500 feet north of the Haunsman's Ditch:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Sample Location</u>	<u>TCE (ppb)</u>	<u>PCE (ppb)</u>
2/19/85	Catch Basin, Charles Street	980	11
2/20/85	4-inch discharge pipe	353	17
2/20/85	Discharge to Haunsman's Ditch	454	* ND
2/25/85	4-inch discharge pipe	1,200	13

* ND - not detected

Subsequent to the initial investigation and sampling conducted by Mr. Richard White from your office on February 26, 1985, the discharge has not ceased. We will continue to monitor the discharge with a weekly sample and the results will be forwarded to your office.

Very truly yours,

John A. Hroncich

John A. Hroncich
Assistant Sanitary Engineer

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Hackensack Water Company

200 Old Hook Road
Harrington Park, N.J. 07640
201-767-9300

March 20, 1985

Mr. John Pecoraro
Plant Engineer
Kurt Versen Inc.
10 Charles St.
Westwood, NJ 07675

Dear Mr. Pecoraro:

The following analytical results for trichloroethylene (TCE) and perchloroethylene (PCE) were obtained from samples collected at the 4-inch diameter pipe to the catch basin located on the west side of Charles Street approximately 500 feet north of Haunsman's Ditch, the discharge to Haunsman's Ditch itself, the well water after the in-line sediment filter, and the well water after the boiler:

Date	Location	TCE (ppb) *	PCE (ppb)
3/4/85	4-inch discharge pipe	1,080	20
3/4/85	Discharge to Haunsman's Ditch	620	32
3/11/85	Well water after sediment filter	830	13
3/11/85	Well water after boiler	970	14
3/14/85	Well water after sediment filter	660	9

The higher TCE concentrations of the well water compared to the water after the boiler, both collected on March 11, 1985, are unusual. The concentrations from the boiler water are typically expected to be lower because the nature of these compounds is to volatilize when subjected to heat or exposure to ambient air.

Please call me if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

John A. Hroncich

John A. Hroncich
Assistant Sanitary Engineer

* ppb - parts per billion

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cc: Peter Lynch, NJDEP ✓

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NEWARK OFFICE

ATTACHMENT C-8

MEMO

NEW JERSEY STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

TO Mr. Thomas Harrington
FROM Mr. Michael J. Pierdinock DATE April 22, 1985
SUBJECT Kurt Versen Company, 10 Charles Street, Westwood, NJ

On February 20, 1985, DWR received a complaint from Mr. Matt Bigley, Division of Waste Management (DWM). DWM informed DWR that Hackensack Water Company found 800 ppb of trichloroethylene in a discharge from Kurt Versen Company. On February 25, 1985, an inspection was conducted at Kurt Versen Company, 10 Charles Street Westwood. The purpose of the inspection was to find the source of the illegal discharge. In attendance were:

Michael J. Pierdinock - Metro Region - Enforcement - DWR
Richard White " " " " "
John Hroncich - Asst. Sanitary Eng., Hackensack Water Co.
Richard F. Quinn - Sanitary Inspector Hackensack Water Co.
Thomas J. Benedict " " " " "
Emil Loeffel - Plant Manager, Kurt Versen Company
John Pecorraro - Engineer, Kurt Versen Company
Steve Silverstein - Office Manager, Kurt Versen Company

Kurt Versen Company manufactures aluminum light fixtures. Water from an on site well is used in rinse tanks, which flows to the sanitary sewer. The source of the storm sewer discharge was found to be compressor cooling. Both DWR and Hackensack Water Company obtained samples from the discharge pipe on 10 Charles Street. The pipe had moderate flow, and the water temperature was 30°C with an oil sheen. The samples were analyzed for the following parameters:

COD, TOC, pH
Suspended Solids, Chloride
Petroleum Hydrocarbons
Volatile Organics Span
Metals - As, Cd, Cr, Hex, Cu, Fe, Hg, Mn, Ni, Pb, Zn

On March 5, 1985, DWR sent Kurt Versen Company a telegram order to cease discharging water and to submit a written report to DWR within ten (10) days of receipt of the telegram. Hackensack Water Company sent DWR sample results from the sampling February 25, 1985. They found 1200 ppb trichloroethylene and 13 ppb perchloroethylene. Their letter also included previous sample results (attached).

ATTACHMENT C-9

On March 15, 1985, Kurt Versen Company informed the DWR that they had ceased discharging into the storm sewer as of March 9, 1985, by redirecting the discharge into the sanitary sewer.

On March 14, 1985, Michael Pierdinock of DWR and Hackensack Water Company sampled the production well for volatile organics (scan) at Kurt Versen Company. In attendance were:

Michael J. Pierdinock - Metro Region - Enforcement - DWR
Patricia Cane " " " "
Richard F. Quinn - Sanitary Inspector - Hackensack Water Co.
John Hroncich - Sanitary Engineer - Hackensack Water Co.
John Pecorraro - Engineer - Kurt Versen Company

The closest sampling point was after the sediment filter. There was an oil sheen present on the water and speedy dry was found around the compressor. There is a hole in the cement where the well pipes go underground (located +5' from the compressor).

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ATTACHMENT C-10

REPORT OF PHONE CALL OR VISIT

Bureau or Office MEHROIn OutFile 27-0285Date 2/25/85 Time 10:00Routing TBHPerson Contacted JOHN A HRONCICH ASST. SANITARY ENG. Phone No. 767-9300Affiliation HACKENSACK WATER CO. 200 OLD HOOK RD. HARRINGTON N.J.Subject of Call Visit HACKENSACK WATER CO. FOUND 300PPB OF TRICHLOROETHYLENE IN WATER DISCHARGING FROM KURT VERSEN CO. 10 CHARLES ST. WESTWOOD, N.J.

Summary of Call Visit RICHARD F. QUINN SANITARY INSPECTOR, THOMAS J. BENEDICT
SANITARY INSPECTOR OF HACKENSACK WATER CO. AND DICK WHITE WERE PRESENT.
TWO CATCH BASINS IN FRONT OF KURT VERSEN CO. WERE
EMITTING STEAM. THERE WAS ALSO WATER FLOWING THROUGH THEM.
A PIPE FROM KURT VERSEN CO. WAS DISCHARGING WATER INTO ONE
OF THE CATCH BASINS. SAMPLES WERE TAKEN AT THE DISCHARGE
POINT. THE OTHER CATCH BASIN HAD NO DISCHARGE PIPES
GOING INTO IT, BUT IT WAS EMITTING STEAM AND WATER. WE
THEN PROCEEDED INTO THE BUILDING AND MET WITH EMIL LOEFFEL
PLANT Mgr., STEVE SILVERSTEIN TRI OFFICE MGR., AND JOHN PECORARO
ENGINEER. THIS COMPANY MANUFACTURES ALUMINUM FRAMES, LIGHT FIXTURES.
THEY USE ALL WATER BASE CHEMICALS. MR. LOEFFEL SAID THAT YEARS
AGO THEY USED TRICHLOROETHYLENE. AN ILLEGAL DISCHARGE WAS

Action Recommended _____

Michael J. Pucino

ATTACHMENT C-11

NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

REPORT OF PHONE CALL OR VISIT

Bureau or Office _____

In _____ Out _____

File _____

Date 2/25/85 Time _____

Routing _____

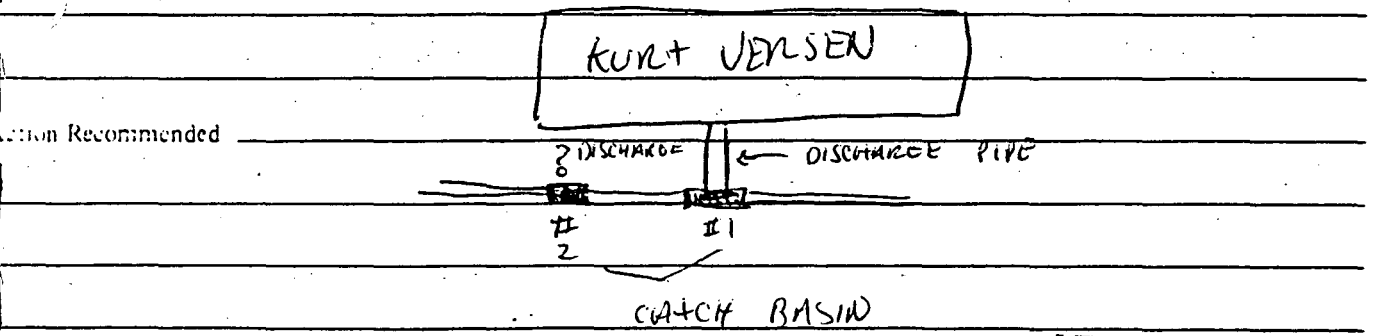
Person Contacted _____ Phone No. _____

Affiliation _____

Subject of Call Visit _____

Summary of Call Visit _____

CONFIRMED GOING INTO THE ONE CATCH BASIN. THEY USE WELL WATER TO COOL A COMPRESSOR, THIS WATER GOES INTO A DRAIN AND THEN INTO A CATCH BASIN. THEY SHUT THE COMPRESSOR OFF AND THE STEAM STOPPED AND WATER FLOW GREATLY DECREASED. SOME HOW THEIR DISCHARGE IS CONNECTED TO THE STORM SEWER LINE WHICH FLOWS INTO THE SECOND CATCH BASIN. THEY HAVE DRUMS OF HYDROLIC WASTE OIL THAT IS REMOVED ONCE A YEAR. THEY HAD NO RECEIPTS FROM THE WASTE HAULER, FOR WHERE THE WASTE WAS DELIVERED.



Action Recommended _____

ATTACHMENT C-12

Signature _____

NEW JERSEY DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES

REPORT OF PHONE CALL OR VISIT

Bureau or Office Metro

In ☒ Out ☐

File Kurt Versen

Date Dec. 5/85 Time 4:05

Routing TBN, SS, PL
[Signature]

Person Contacted Paul Dellefano Phone No. 664-2666

Affiliation Health Officer, Westwood

Subject of Call Visit septic system

Summary of Call Visit The town's records show that Kurt Versen was built in 1964 but that the sewers did not become available until 1967. He seems to recall being told that their septic was in the corner of the property nearest the brook and woods. This would now be behind the new warehouse, in the retention basin.

Action Recommended double check w/ Kurt Versen

G. [Signature] ATTACHMENT D-1
Signature

New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection

Division of Water Resources

New Jersey Geological Survey

REQUEST FOR GROUND WATER POLLUTION EVALUATION — BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Preparer: Patricia Cane Affiliation: Metro Date: 8/1/85Name of Site: Kurt Versen CompanyAddress: 10 Charles StreetCity: Westwood County: BergenUSGS Quad: HackensackLatitude: 40° 58' 55" Longitude: 74° 01' 05"1. Attach a site map and a photo copy of the USGS Quad with the location of the site circled or outlined in RED.2. A. Are wells already contaminated; is there an imminent health hazard? YesB. Mark the location of the nearest well in each general direction within a radius of 5,000 feet of the site and complete the following:

Well	Distance From Site (ft)	Depth*	Use ¹	Additional Remarks* (e.g. sampling results)
1 Kurt Versen	on-site	400'	I	see attached
2 Westwood Laundry	1300'	200'	I	
3 Rockland Coaches	1200'	150'-160'	I	
4 Teledyne Isotopes	1000'	400'	I and potable	see attached
5 Westwood Swim Club	3300'	250'	I and potable	see attached
6 Old Hook Car Wash	1600'	242'	I and potable	
7 Universal Lustre Leaf	1250'		I and potable	
8 Hackensack Water Co.	5800'	448 and 428	P	

Note: P=Public Supply

I=Industrial

D=Domestic

F=Irrigation

*Continue on next page if necessary

C. Mark the location of known potable surface water intakes within a 10,000 foot radius of the site.

ATTACHMENT D-2

A. Complete the following table regarding contaminant sources on the site:

Source*	Volume/Dimensions	Duration	Contaminants
1 industrial discharge			TCE, PCE
2			1,2 dichloroethene
3			
4			
5			

*Nature of source (e.g. septic tank, lagoon, spill, drums, industrial discharge).

B. Are the listed contaminants confirmed or only suspected, and what is the basis for their listing? confirmed by sampling

C. Are the sources suspected or confirmed? suspected

Additional Comments and Case Synopsis (Attach additional sheets if necessary):

The Kurt Versen Company has twice violated DWR regulations by discharging to storm sewer which leads to Cradell Reservoir. On the second occasion, samples reveal VO contamination of the well water used for cooling and then discharged. Kurt Versen was fined for the illegal discharge but could not be fined more for hazardous discharge because we do not know that they contaminated their own well. This is suspected. To proceed with any further enforcement we must prove that they contaminated the well or find another source. The industrial survey of the area turned up numerous problems including two leaching fields and two suspect septic systems in the area. Universal Lustre Leaf has numerous drums of hazardous substances with evidence of spillage. There is great potential for an area-wide problem, many enforcement actions and possible public water supply contamination. Additional wells may be

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ATTACHMENT D-3

Client:

Westwood Swim Club
Tillman Road
Westwood, N.J.

Date of Report: July 12, 1985
Sample Identification No. 3708
Date Sample Received: July 1, 1985
Collected From: Westwood Swim Club

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ParameterWestwood Swim Club


Chloromethane	<0.002
Bromomethane	<0.002
Dichlorodifluoromethane	<0.002
Vinyl Chloride	<0.002
Chloroethane	<0.002
Ethylene Chloride	<0.002
Trichlorofluoromethane	<0.002
1,1-Dichloroethene	<0.002
1,1-Dichloroethane	<0.002
trans-1,2-Dichloroethene	<0.002
Chloroform	<0.002
1,2-Dichloroethane	<0.002
1,1,1-Trichloroethane	<0.002
Carbon tetrachloride	<0.002
Bromodichloromethane	<0.002
1,2-Dichloropropane	<0.002
trans-1,3-Dichloropropene	<0.002
Trichloroethene	<0.002
Dibromochloromethane	<0.002
1,1,2-Trichloroethane	<0.002
is-1,3-Dichloropropene	<0.002
-Chloroethylvinyl ether	<0.002
Bromoform	<0.002
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	<0.002
Tetrachloroethene	<0.002
Chlorobenzene	<0.002

ATTACHMENT D-4

All results expressed in mg/l

Certification No. 02046

Laboratory Resources Inc.


Carol A. Price
Manager/Laboratory Services

Client:

Westwood Swim Club
Tillman Road
Westwood, N.J.

Date of Report: July 12, 1985
Sample Identification: 3708
Date Sample Received: July 1, 1985
Collected From: Westwood Swim Club

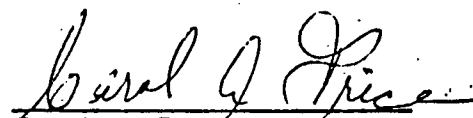
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<u>Parameter</u>	<u>Westwood Swim Club</u>
Benzene	<0.002
Toluene	<0.002
Ethyl benzene	<0.002
1,2- Dichlorobenzene	<0.002
1,3- Dichlorobenzene	<0.002
1,4- Dichlorobenzene	<0.002
o- Xylene	<0.002
m- Xylene	<0.002
p- Xylene	<0.002

All results expressed in mg/l

Certification No. 02046

Laboratory Resources Inc.


Carol A. Prize
Manager/Laboratory Services

ATTACHMENT D-5

GARDEN STATE LABORATORIES, INC.

Bacteriological and Chemical Testing

399 Stuyvesant Avenue

Irvington, N.J. 07111



MATHEW KLEIN, M.S., Director

Telephone
201-373-8007

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DEPT. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
NEWARK OFFICE

TELEDYNE ISOTOPES
50 VAN BUREN AVENUE
WESTWOOD, NJ 07675

SAMPLE SUBMITTED: THURS. JUNE 20, 1985

WELL WATER SAMPLE

VOLATILE ORGANIC ANALYSIS BY GC/MS

COMPOUND	RESULT	COMPOUND	RESULT
CHLOROMETHANE	<1.0	1,1,2 TRICHLOROETHANE	<1.0
BROMOMETHANE	<1.0	CIS-1,3 DICHLOROPROPYLENE	<1.0
DICHLORODIFLUOROMETHANE	<1.0	BENZENE	<1.0
VINYL CHLORIDE	<1.0	2-CHLOROETHYL VINYL ETHER	<1.0
CHLOROETHANE	<1.0	BROMOFORM	<1.0
METHYLENE CHLORIDE	<1.0	1,1,2,2 TETRACHLOROETHANE	<1.0
TRICHLOROFLUOROMETHANE	<1.0	TETRACHLOROETHYLENE	<1.0
1,1 DICHLOROETHYLENE	<1.0	TOLUENE	<1.0
1,1 DICHLOROETHANE	<1.0	CHLOROBENZENE	<1.0
TRANS-1,2 DICHLOROETHYLENE	<1.0	ETHYLBENZENE	<1.0
CHLOROFORM	3.5	P-XYLENE	<1.0
1,2 DICHLOROETHANE	<1.0	M-XYLENE	<1.0
1,1,1 TRICHLOROETHANE	22.5	O-XYLENE	<1.0
CARBON TETRACHLORIDE	<1.0	1,2 DICHLOROBENZENE	<1.0
BROMODICHLOROMETHANE	<1.0	1,3 DICHLOROBENZENE	<1.0
1,2 DICHLOROPROPANE	<1.0	1,4 DICHLOROBENZENE	<1.0
TRANS-1,3 DICHLOROPROPENE	<1.0	1,2,4 TRICHLOROBENZENE	<1.0
TRICHLOROETHYLENE	4.0	ACROLEIN	<100.
DIBROMOCHLOROMETHANE	<1.0	ACRYLONITRILE	<100.

ALL RESULTS ARE IN MICROGRAMS/LITER (PARTS PER BILLION).

< = LESS THAN, NONE DETECTED.

ANALYSIS PERFORMED BY PURGE AND TRAP GAS CHROMATOGRAPHY/MASS SPECTROMETRY, USEPA 624.

ATTACHMENT D-6

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WESTWOOD, NJ 07675

SAMPLE SUBMITTED: THURS. JUNE 20, 1985

WELL WATER SAMPLE

RESULTS ARE IN PARTS PER BILLION.

PESTICIDES

LINDANE	<0.1
ENDRIN	<0.1
TOXAPHENE	<0.1
METHOXYCHLOR	<0.1

HERBICIDES

2,4 - D	<0.1
2,4,5 - TP SILVEX	<0.1

ATTACHMENT D-7

THE LIABILITY OF GARDEN STATE LABORATORIES, INC. FOR SERVICES RENDERED SHALL IN NO EVENT EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF THE INVOICE.

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OVER PLEASE

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TELEDYNE ISOTOPES

50 VAN BUREN AVENUE

WESTWOOD, NJ 07675

SAMPLE SUBMITTED: THURS. JUNE 20, 1985

RESULTS ARE IN MG/L UNLESS NOTED.

WELL WATER SAMPLE

ARSENIC	0.001	SODIUM	26.7
BARIUM	<0.1	TURBIDITY	0.11
CADMIUM	<0.001	COLOR	2.5
CHROMIUM	<0.02	MEAS	<0.1
LEAD	<0.02	FLUORIDE	<1.0
MERCURY	<0.0002	NITRATE	3.7
SILVER	<0.02	SULFATE	40.3
SELENIUM	<0.001	CHLORIDE	48.6
IRON	<0.05	TOTAL DISSOLVED SOLIDS	298.
MANGANESE	<0.02	TOTAL HARDNESS	240.
COPPER	<0.05	PH - STANDARD UNITS	7.73
ZINC	0.01	CORROSIVITY	POSITIVE 0.17

ATTACHMENT D-8

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WELL NO.	OWNER	LOCATION	YEAR DRILLED	CASING DIAM.	YIELD GPM	FORMATION	DEPTH	STATIC LEVEL	OR DEPTH OF CASING	PURPOSE LEVEL	DEW-DOWN	DEPTH TO BEDROCK	REMARKS, USE, ETC.
	Pascack Plastics	23-44-157	70	12	179		300	38	35	177 21	82		Tillman St.
T	Isotopes #2 KURENS	23-43-269	63	6	60		165	53	35	119 2	75		123 Woodland Ave
/	Clifford G. Ford	23-43-325	54	6	8		134	109	28	65 1			50 Lincoln Ave 108-15
	Westwood Fuel Oil	23-43-332	60	6	75		236	56	12	150 3	138		BROADWAY
(Frank Valenzano	23-43-358	66	4	20		150	40	22	40 10	15		142 Lafayette
	Bd of Ed #1	33-43-362	66	6	80		204	41	2	102 4	100		4th St. - Irrigation
	#2	23-44-155	66	6	80		265	60	2	105 5	103		423 Pascack Rd - Irr.
	Cedar Park Cemetery	23-43-324	63	6	60		160	58	4	25 4	24		Forest Ave
	Chapel Palm Care	23-44-131	61	6	60		125	23	16	32 4	20		Genov. St
	T. Tures	23-44-125	64	6	6		120	50	40	80 4	40		20 Westwood Ave
	607 5 Euk Edith Ice Station	23-44-141	66	6	25		150	51	22	70 1			639 Broadway 607 5
	1111 11A Kurt Versen Co	23-44-155	79	6	35		400	30	11	250 8			10 Charles St. 1111 1A
	Durby Lab.	23-44-159	54	6	20		170	35	15	15			Renger Line Ave
	FRED Grunfelder	23-43-263	52	6	15		70	35	17	39			Hoover Ave WASH TWSP
	1109 13 Westwood Laundry	23-44-154	33	10/6	225		125						maybe 2 wells at site 110 13
/	VOSSEN HJ Baumann	23-43-361	50	6	10		150	60	15				96 4th Ave 503-6
	PATRICK Poor	23-43-339	50	6	20		80	42	20	25 1 1/2			33 Grand St 611-10
-	St. Goodman	23-43-362	51	6	15		130	56	5				304 4th Ave 411-12
	F. Johnson	23-43-351	52	6	3		149	114	30	50 1/2			Hickory St 7 WASH TWSP
	STUBAUS JH Lindberg	23-43-367	52	6	15		94	36	11	25 1			199 4th Ave 416-4
-	Aram Minnetian	23-43-366	52	6	40		100	42	7	30 1			190 4th Ave 411 7
			10				200	98	10	60			Hickory St 7 WASH TWSP
			9				182		122	8 3			Westwood P.d.

OWNER	LOCATION	YEAR DRILLED	CASING DIAM.	YIELD GPM	FORMATION	DEPTH	SETTING OR DEPTH OF CASING	STATIC LEVEL	PURPOSE LEVER Hourly PUMP	DRAIN - DOWN	DEPTH TO BEDROCK	REMARKS, USE, ETC.
Hackensack H ₂ O Co	23-44-119	66	12	251		448	122'6"	21	173 6	172		Harrington Ave & Sandoz Rd
"	23-44-119	65	12	550		408	20'	12'6"	85 6" 24	77		" " " "
"	23-43-332	76	8	75		365	67	4	300 4	296		503 Lafayette Ave
	BLK - LOT											
WESTWOOD CARWASH	601 1A											20 Lake St.
GINGFEDER CORP	1328 3											145 Woodland Ave
WOOD SWIM CLUB	1313 2											Tillemore St
COHS	41 2											172 4 th Ave
BECKMAN COACHES	1109 14											Old Hook Rd
CERRATI well pt	403 14											23 Cypress St.
SWIFT	416 8											235 4 th Ave
DAVID AN	411 6											214 4 th Ave
DE ANGELIS	1336 4											14 Main St
JACOBS well pt	212 1											85 Wheeler Ave
PERLIN	512 1											3 4 th Ave
ASA MARKET -	51-231-4A 5 CORNERS		7 1/2	4								Westwood Ave
LYONS FUNERAL HOME	1009 2											Kinderkamack Rd
KURDMULLER	201 4											26 Kennedy Terrace
F. DIETL	607 5											Broadway
BAUMAN	503 7											88 4 th Ave
OLD HOOK CARWASH	1320 2											Old Hook Rd
EGAN well pt	102 13											45 Standing Ave

ATTACHMENT D-10

MEMONEW JERSEY STATE DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTIONTO Mr. TanFROM Mr. PlumbDATE March 31, 1981SUBJECT Kurt Versen Company, Clean-up of Haunsman's Ditch

On March 27, 1981 a clean up was conducted of Haunsman's Ditch by All County Environmental, contractor for the Kurt Versen Company. Present for the clean-up were the following:

Robert Plumb, N. J. Department of Environmental Protection
Emil Loeffel, Kurt Versen Company, Plant Manager
Steve Silverstein, Kurt Versen Company
Frank Coppola, All County Environmental
Bruce Miller, All County Environmental, Crew Supervisor
Richard Quinn, Hackensack Water Company

The clean-up was conducted in response to a Departmental Telegram Order dated 3/19/81. Detailed below are the corrective measures initiated which resulted in the removal of solids from the waterway.

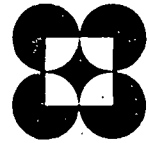
March 25, 1981 - Three containment barriers were constructed in Haunsman's Ditch

March 26, 1981 - The storm sewer between Charles Street and Daned Road was flush to consolidate the solids in the containment areas. All County Environmental was hired for the clean-up.

March 27, 1981 - The clean-up was initiated at approximately 10:30 am. The majority of the solids were concentrated in two quiescent sections of the tributary. The first area cleaned was adjacent to Daned Road. The pool involved was approximately 15X10 ft and contained approximately 6 to 8 inches of sludge in the center. The second area was adjacent to Main Street at the Emerson High School and measures approximately 50 by 20 ft. Approximately 8 inches of sludge was observed in the deepest area. All County removed all water and sludge from these two sections of the tributary amounting to 10,800 gallons. The material was manifested and delivered to Chem-Clear in Chester Pa. The clean-up was completed by 1:27 pm.

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ATTACHMENT E-1



Kurt Versen Company
Incandescent & Mercury Lighting

10 Charles Street
Westwood, New Jersey
07675

Telephone: 201 664 8200

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was constructed with the approval of the DEP which corrected a leak that had developed between the sanitary drain pipe and the storm drain pipe. Permanent repairs to replace the entire drainage system will begin as soon as possible.

3/20/81 Daily Progress Report
Emil Loeffel and Robert Plumb, N.J. DEP

Temporary connection made and approved.

Request by Mr. Plumb that company clean certain areas. Tom Harrington from the DEP would show representatives of the company areas to be cleaned on March 23, 1981.

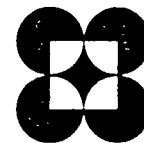
3/23/81 Company representatives shown areas to be cleaned. Contractors contacted to evaluate problem and submit quotations. Permission to continue operations granted as all discharge was stopped by the temporary methods.

3/24/81 Mr. Plumb asked company to erect containment barriers. Samples of cloudy material were taken by disposal companies who were to effect cleanup. This was to determine the cost for proper disposal of the wastes.

3/25/81 Company constructed containment barriers under supervision of Pete Pezone of the DEP. Water company officials suggested that the storm drain system be flushed to remove any extra greenish white substance. This was done with the approval of Mr. Plumb and carried out under the supervision of Pete Pezone of the DEP, Water Company officials and Kurt Versen representatives. The barriers held back most of the substance and a contractor would be selected to start cleanup. Quotations received March 27, 1981.

ATTACHMENT E-2

KURT VERSEN



Kurt Versen Company
Incandescent & Mercury Lighting

10 Charles Street
Westwood, New Jersey
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Telephone: 201 664 8200

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- 3/26/81 All County Environmental Service Corporation
of New Milford, New York was selected and
scheduled to begin cleanup Friday A.M.
- 3/27/81 Cleanup effected under supervision of
Mr. Plumb to his satisfaction.
- 4/10/81 Installation of new sewer line completed.

Emil Jauffel

ATTACHMENT E-3



BERGEN COUNTY UTILITIES AUTHORITY

Box 122, Foot of Mehrhof Road, Little Ferry, New Jersey 07643

JOHN G. COSTELLO
Executive Director

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DOMINICK CASAMASSINA
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STEPHEN J. MOSES
Counsel

JEROME F. SHEEHAN
Staff Engineer

EDWARD J. BROUILLARD, II
Chief, Industrial Waste Section

HERMAN R. ZABLATZKY
Plant Superintendent

April 15, 1981

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DEPT. ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
NEWARK OFFICE

Kurt Versen Company
10 Charles Street
Westwood, N. J. 07675

Attention: Emil Loeffel

Re: Sewage Discharge

Dear Mr. Loeffel:

We have received a copy of the N. J. DEP's directive concerning your discharge to Haunsman Ditch. If this discharge is to be directed to the Sanitary Sewer System, please be advised that according to the concentration listed in this directive, you will not meet the Authority's regulations concerning the discharge of this waste.

Please advise us to your intentions of disposing of this waste.

Very truly yours,

Jerome F. Sheehan
Staff Engineer

jfs:sk

cc: CBA

Peter T. Lynch

ATTACHMENT E-4

5/11/81 Mr. Loeffel
Company has to limit
chromium. R.P.

PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN 5/14/85

DETENTION BASIN			KEY MAP
F-8	F-6	F-4	F-2
F-7	F-5	F-3	F-1
			TITLE BLOCK

KEY TO MAP SECTIONS - SECTIONS MARKED AS
PAGE NUMBERS ON INDIVIDUAL 8 1/2 X 11 SHEETS

KEY

ATTACHMENT F

NOTE:

SANITARY SEWER TO BE CONNECTED IN ACCORDANCE
WITH WESTWOOD DESIGN CRITERIA.

DEVELOPMENT ANALYSIS

ZONE: L.M. LIGHT MANUFACTURING

ITEM	ZONE	EXISTING	ADDITIONAL	PROPOSED
AREA	15,000 S.F.	285,318 S.F.	—	285,318 S.F.
FRONTAGE	100'	672'	—	672'
DEPTH	150'	419'	—	419'
CURB YARD (1)	10'	43'	107'	43'
SIDE YARD (2)	133.6' (20%)	355'	(205')	150'
REAR YARD	30'	50'	50'	50'
REAR YARD	40'	94'	173'	94'
PLD HT	3 STORIES 35'	1 STORY 17'	1 STORY 25'	1 STORY 25'
COV'G	114,275 S.F. (40%)	73,070 S.F. (25.6%)	40,704 S.F. (14.2%)	113,774 (39.8%)
PARKING	93	86	15	101
PREVIOUS	—	133,000 S.F. 46.6%	51,000 S.F. 12.9%	184,000 S.F. 64.5%

C.B. 1
H.P. 93.85
INV. 90.95

M.H. 8
RIM 94.73
INV. 85.53 8" IN
85.58 8" IN
85.38 OUT

GAS

GAS VALVE

94

BERGENLINE

AVENUE

ATTACHMENT F-1

REV. 4	9-12-84	DRAINAGE STRUCTURES
REV. 3	6/21/84	DRAINAGE, PARKING
REV. 2	6/7/84	Parking - Notes - Curb - Det Basin
REV. 1	5/24/84	PQ - Parking Analysis - Note

KURT VERSEN COMPANY

BLOCK IIII LOT IIA

CHARLES STREET

BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD

BERGEN COUNTY, NEW JERSEY

DATE 5/14/84

SCALE 1" = 30'

PROJ. 513-1-1-84

DRAWN P.M.

DSN/JCK. REM.

SHEET: 1 of 3

DWG: 1

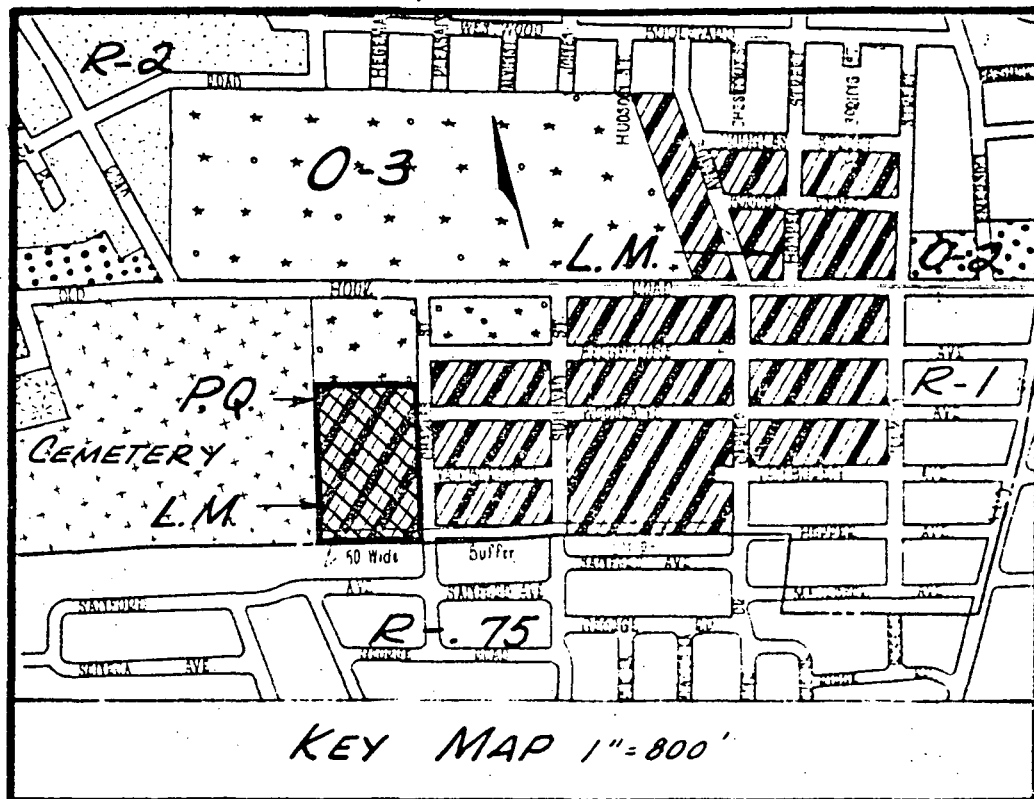
PRELIMINARY SITE PLAN



**PROFESSIONAL PLANNING
AND ENGINEERING CORP.**

50 SOUTH ST., P.O. BOX 22848 MORTONSTOWN, N.J. 08853

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EER
0296



PROPERTY OWNERS WITHIN 200 FEET

WESTWOOD

<u>Block 1111</u>		<u>Block 1318</u>	
Lot 11	James J. & Linda E. Bovino	Lot 2 & 7	Bonaro, Joseph
Lot 10	Westwood Cemetery	<u>Block 1322</u>	
<u>Block 1326</u>		Lot 1	Do-All Truck Repair, Inc.
Lot 1	Parker, Carl I. & Roslyn A.	Lot 2&8	Whittaker, Jay J. & Evelyn M.
Lot 2	Lanman & Kemp-Barclay Co., Inc.	Lot 9	Do-All GMC Trucks, Inc.
Lot 4 & 5	V.M. Industries	<u>Block 1330</u>	
<u>Block 1334</u>		Lot 1, 2 & 10	L & L Associates
Lot 1	Hudson Trading Co.	Lot 8 & 9	R.C.F. Realty Co.
Lot 2	Berenson, Charles & Iannuzzi F. & Ercolino, Ricci		
Lot 3	Erenner, Luci		

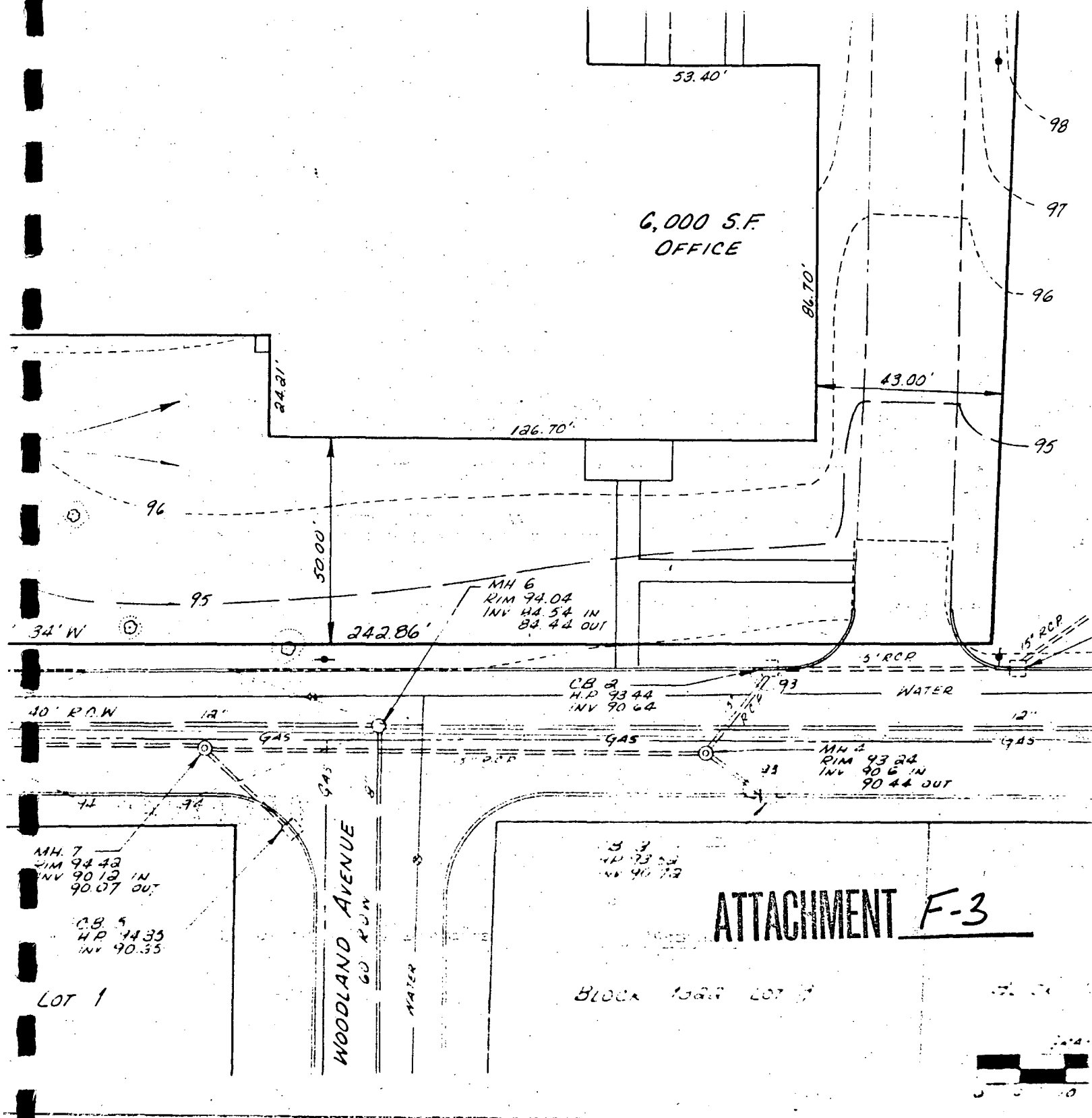
ATTACHMENT F-2

EMERSON

<u>Block 331</u>		<u>Block 301</u>	
Lot 1	Barbara Carenza	Lot 1	Alphonse & T. Dearbrosio
Lot 2	Cornelius & Shirley Ann Sullivan	Lot 2	The Borough of Emerson
Lot 3	George & Ethel Frey	Lot 3	The Borough of Emerson
Lot 4	Charles & Constance Muscietta	Lot 11	Humberto & Vicki Leal
Lot 5	Josephine M. M. M.	Lot 12	Harry & Helen Sord

GARDEN
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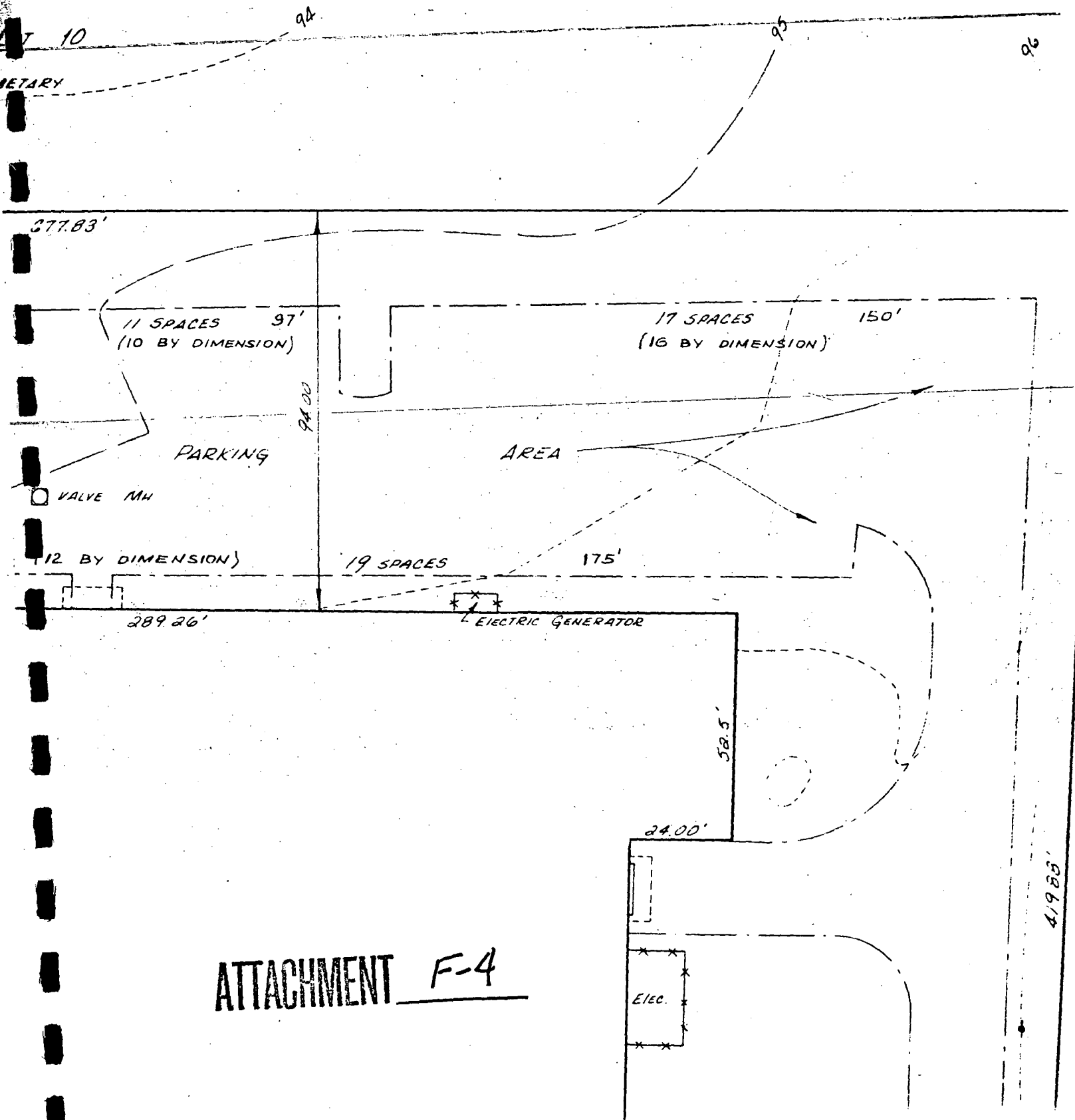
ATTACHMENT F-3

REQ'D	PROVIDED
00 S.F.	91 EXIST
SPACES	20 ADDITIONAL
SPACES	111 PROPOSED

OWNER & APPLICANT

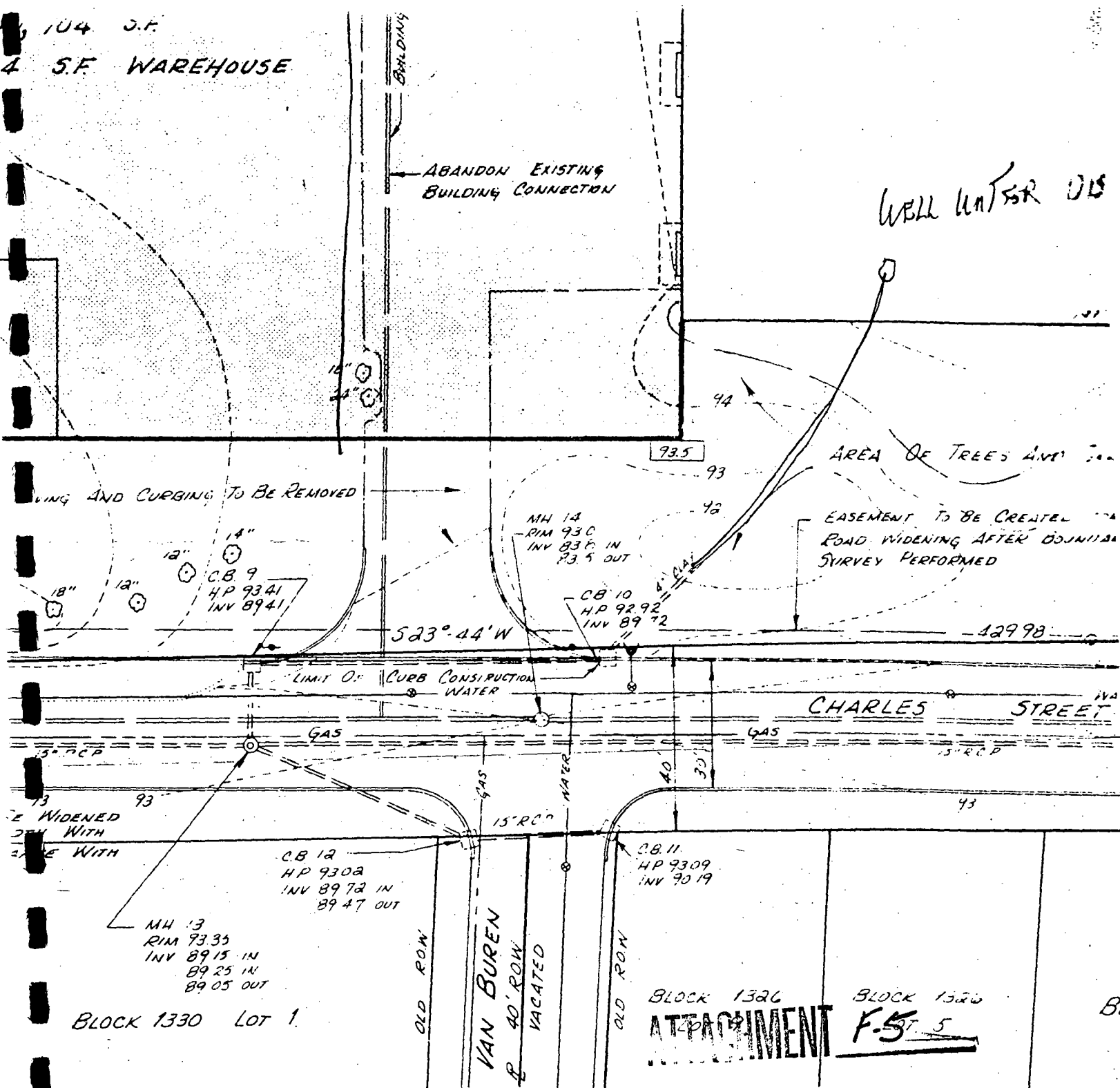
RICHARD C. ANISFIELD
10 CHARLES STREET
WESTWOOD, NEW JERSEY

**PETER
PROF.
N.J. LIC**



ATTACHMENT F-4

WELL KNOWN DR



DEVELOPMENT

ANCE WITH ORDINANCE.

1. SURVEY MADE BY BOSWELL
2. PREPARED BY M. GEORGE VUINOVICH,
R.C. ANISFIELD
3. PREPARED BY DAVID H. SMITH
4. CIVIL ENGINEERING CORP.
5. 300 ORADELL, N.J.

PARKING ANALYSIS	REQ'D	EXISTING	ADDITIONAL
OFFICE	1 SPACE / 250 S.F.	6300 SF 26 SPACES	2500 10 SPACES
MANUFACTURING AND WAREHOUSE	1 SPACE / 2 EMP	43 SPACES 85 EMP	14 SPACES 27 EMP

BLOCK 1

EXISTING

N 24°-14'-08" E

24 SPACES
(22 BY DIMENSION)

206'

ASPHALT

13

EXHAUST

5 SPACES

100.00'

173.00'

CONSTRUCTED FROM
PERIOD SHOULD
NOTIONS REQUIRE IT

OF 6" SANITARY RELOCATED

205.00'

ABANDON
BUILDING CONNECTION

STORM LINE

SEWER LINE

ATTACHMENT F-6

EXISTING SINGLE

BLOCK 331
LOT 8

OFFICE
2,500 S.F.

18" R.C.P.
INV. 87.38
INV. 87.7
INV. 87.6
INV. 87.49

BOROUGH OF EMERSON
BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD

HOPPER AVENUE
40' R.O.W.
UNIMPROVED

BLOCK 1330
LOT 9

BLOCK 1330
LOT 10

ATTACHMENT F-7

EXISTING INDUSTRIAL

NOTES:

- SIGN TO BE ON BUILDING OF COMPATIBLE MATERIAL IN
- TELEPHONE AND ELECTRIC SERVICES TO BE UNDERGROUND
- METES AND BOUNDS DESCRIPTION AS REFERENCED ENGINEERING CO. RIDGEWOOD PARK, N.J. ON A PLOT PLAN ARCHITECT, ENGLEWOOD CLIFFS, N.J. JUNE 27, 1973 FOR TOPOGRAPHY AND PHYSICAL FEATURES TAKEN FROM P.L.S. N.J. LIC NO. 22718 OF PROFESSIONAL PLANNING SITE LAYOUT PREPARED BY THE LURIE-HOLDEFEHR PARTNERSHIP

BLOCK 331
LOT 3

BOROUGH OF EMERSON
BOROUGH OF WESTWOOD

BLOCK 331
LOT 4

BLOCK 331
LOT 5

BLOCK 331
LOT 6

MH NOT LOCATED

FENCES

18"
SANITARY EASEMENT PER

TAX MAP OF WESTWOOD

422.06'

91

92

RIP RAP 5'
AND OUTLET
BASIN W

DEFENTIO

TOPSOIL MOUND

IMPACT

INV. 90.0

CHANNEL

LOW FLOW

IMPACT CHAMBER

TEMPORARY RISER

10' 6" 12" R.C.P. 5:10%

50' BUFFER ZONE

180' 12" R.C.P. 5:12%

ROOF DRAIN

CURB
PANT
WITHIN
DRAIN

A

CB
INV. 90.5

INV 91.2

ATTACHMENT

F-8

2' 9"

5" R.C.P. 5:0.46%

MALCOLM
PIRNIE

NJDEP Preliminary Assessments

TELEPHONE CALL CONFIRMATION

Site Number: 308
Site Name: KURT VERSEN CO.

Local _____ Long Distance 664-2666

Date APR 9, 1986

To/From PAUL D'STEFANO, WESTWOOD HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Time 11:00

Project Prel. Assess

MPI Name MARK SADOWSKI

Proj. No. 835-08-1100

Subject: KURT VERSEN

MR D'STEFANO REITERATED THE INFORMATION THAT EXISTS IN THE NJDEP FILES ABOUT THE 1981 AND 1985 DISCHARGE INCIDENTS. HE HAD NO OTHER INFORMATION REGARDING HAZARDOUS INCIDENTS.

MR D'STEFANO WAS CONTACTED BY THE NJDEP PUR TO INFORM HIM OF AREAL GROUNDWATER CONTAMINATION IN THE INDUSTRIAL PARK IN WHICH KURT VERSEN IS LOCATED. TO HIS KNOWLEDGE NO SOURCE IS DETERMINED ALTHOUGH A NUMBER OF FACILITIES ARE POTENTIAL SOURCES: WESTWOOD CAR WASH, A LAUNDRY, SEVERAL SMALL MANUFACTURING FACILITIES. HE IS WAITING (SAYS FOR SOME TIME) FOR A LETTER FROM DEP CONFIRMING THIS CONTAMINATION BEFORE INFORMING POTABLE WELL WATER USERS TO CEASE. AT THIS TIME HE DOES NOT KNOW IF PRIVATE WELLS ARE AFFECTED.

Route to:

File:

MALCOLM
PIRNIE

NJDEP Preliminary Assessments

TELEPHONE CALL CONFIRMATION

Site Number: 308
Site Name: KURT VERSEN Co

Local _____ Long Distance 201-669-3900 Date APR 9, 1986

To/From ANTHONY D'CANIA NJDEP, DWR - METRO Time 2:00pm

Project Prel. Assess

MPI Name MARK SADDUSKI Proj. No. 835-08-1100

Subject: NJDEP ACTION / ENFORCEMENT AT VERSEN

ACCORDING TO MR D'CANIA, NJDEP, DWR IS CONDUCTING AN AREA-
WIDE GROUNDWATER SURVEY TO IDENTIFY THE SOURCE(S) OF
CONTAMINATION. COMPOUND OF NOTE: TRICHLOROETHANE.

NJDEP ANTICIPATES NO FURTHER ACTION A VERSEN OTHER THAN
THE RESOLUTION OF THE EXISTING ACD (ATTACHMENT A)

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OFF - SITE RECONNAISSANCE

Date: APRIL 8, 1986Time In 3:20 pm Out 3:40 pmSite ID No. 308Site Name: KURT VERSEN COMPANY

Location: _____

Address: 10 CHARLES STREETCity, County WESTWOOD BERGENZip: 07576Personnel: MARK SADOWSKITitle: PROJECT ENGINEERConditions: SUNNYTemperature: ~65°Any evidence of imminent hazard? NoIllegal Dumping? NoUncapped Monitoring Wells? No

If Yes, Notify NJDEP

Signature: Mark V SadowskiDate: April 8, 1986

Witness: _____

Date: _____

Site: KURT VERSEN

Site ID No. 308

Date: April 8, 1986

THE FACILITY OCCUPIES THE NORTHERN HALF OF A MODERN BUILDING COMPLEX (APPROXIMATELY 250' LONG). THE SOUTHERN HALF IS OF RECENT CONSTRUCTION

- GROUNDS CLEAN AND WELL LANDSCAPED
- NO OBVIOUS INDICATION OF HAZARDOUS ^{SUBSTANCES} STORAGE OR DISPOSAL ON THE PROPERTY
- ALL MATERIAL STORAGE IS APPARENTLY INSIDE THE BUILDING
- LOCATED THE STORM WATER RETENTION BASIN BEHIND THE NEW SECTION

PASADENA VALLEY HOSPITAL IS LOCATED LESS THAN 1/2 MILE NORTH OF SITE, ACROSS OLD HOOK ROAD

Signature:

Mark J. Sadowski

Date:

April 8, 1986

Witness:

Date:

Subject: KURT VERSEN Site ID No. 308
Date: 4-8-86 Page No.
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3 REAR OF BLDG PARKING LOT SE
4 FRONT OF BLDG CHARLES ST NW
5 FRONT OF BLDG E SIGN CHARLES ST SW

*Indicate on sketch or map if possible

Signature: Mark V. [Signature]

Date: April 8, 1986

Witness:

Date:

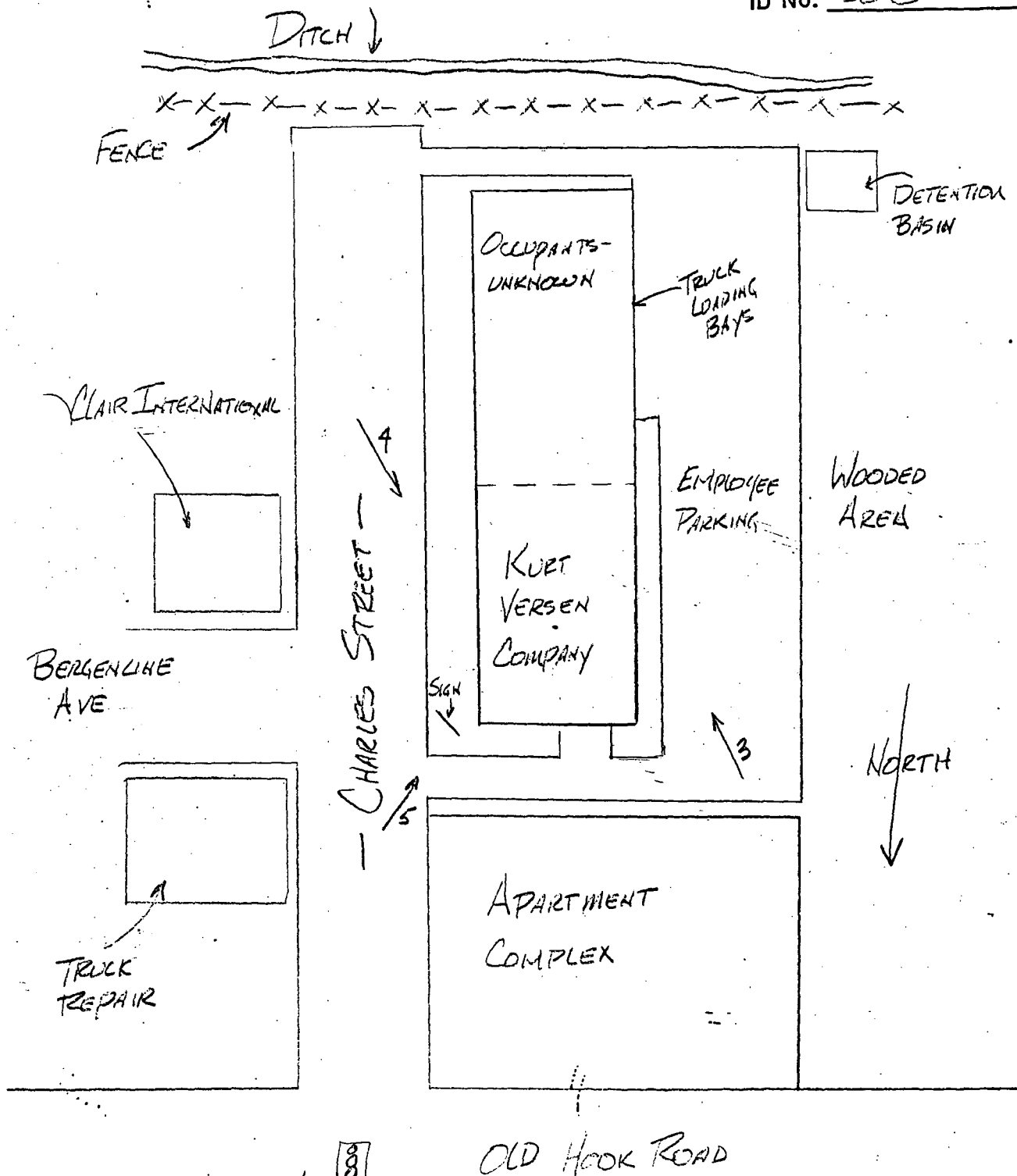
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MAPS AND SKETCHES

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Site: KURT VERSEN

ID No. 308



Signature: Mark V. [illegible]

Witness: _____

Date: April 8 1986

Date: _____

NJDEP PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENTS

MARCH TO JUNE, 1986

FILE REVIEW SUMMARY

Site Name: KURT VORSEN
 Site Number: 308

	SEARCH	REVIEWED	
	DATE	BY	STATUS*
New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection:			
Central Files:			

DWM	3-21-86	BLE/JDM	
DWR	3-24-86	BLE/JDM	X
HSMA	3-26-86	BLE/JDM	
Environmental Qual.	3-26-86	BLE/JDM	
Office of Sci. & Res.	3-26-86	BLE/JDM	

Field Office: MEMO

DWM	3-19-86	BLE/JDM	
DWR	3-21-86	BLE	X
Env. Qual.			

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency:

Edison			
Federal Plaza			

Local Health Offices:

<u>Westwood</u>	<u>8/4/86</u>	<u>MUS</u>	<u>Phone Interview</u>
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PIRNIE

SITE NAME: Kurt Versen

ID NO: 308 Bergen

LOCATION: Westwood
10 Charles Rd.

FILE	SEARCH DATE	REVIEWER	RCRA 3001 FORM	CERCLA 103C FORM	PRELIMINARY INSP. REPORT	FIELD INSPECTION REPORTS	AGENCY INTERNAL REPORTS	RESP. PARTY MEMOS	FORMAL CORRESPONDENCE	SITE SKETCHES	ANALYTICAL DATA	SECOND SEARCH DATE	REMARKS	QA CHECK
MetroDWR	3/19/86	BLK			✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓			79 copies, Kurt Versen File	

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SITE NAME:

Kurt Versen

ID NO: 308 Bergen

Westwood

LOCATION: Hawaii

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Science & Research	3/26/86	NR NF							✓	NF	NF		Industrial Survey.	

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PIRNIE

SITE NAME:

Kurt and Verson

ID NO: 308 Bergen

LOCATION: Westwood

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Central DWR-Gov.	3-24-86	BLK	NA	NA	NF	✓	✓	NF	✓	NF	✓		Everything on K.V. in File was copied.	

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MALCOLM
PIRNIE

Preliminary Assessment Photo Log

SITE: KURT VERNER

I.D. 308

DATE: 4-8-86



FRAME: 3 TIME: _____ DIRECTION: SE
DESCRIPTION: REAR OF BLDG



FRAME: 4 TIME: _____ DIRECTION: NW
DESCRIPTION: FRONT OF BLDG

MALCOLM
PIRNIE

Preliminary Assessment Photo Log

SITE: KURT VERSEN

I.D. 308

DATE: 4-8-86



FRAME: 5 TIME: _____ DIRECTION: SW

DESCRIPTION: FRONT OF BLDG & SIGN

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